

The South Carolina Whittle Families

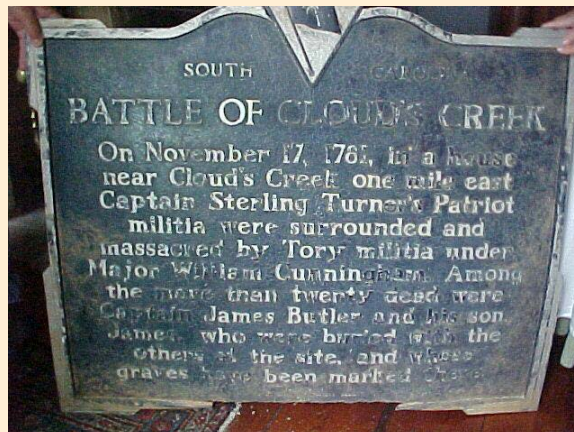
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This document is based on the South Carolina Whittle Families website created by Joe Claude Whittle. Joe's work has been adopted by Steven James Coker, one of Joe's Whittle cousins. Steve has edited and updated Joe's work.

Joe Claude Whittle passed away unexpectedly at his home, 225 Ashley Lane, Leesville, SC 29070, on August 4, 2018 in Batesburg-Leesville, SC at the age of 72. Joe was survived by a wife of 51 years, Susan Whittle, son, Jay Whittle, daughter-in-law, Beth Whittle and four beautiful granddaughters, Caitlin, Ashley, Jayme, and Brooklyn. In addition, he leaves a sister, Sally Whittle Stein, brother-in-law Louis Stein, sister-in-law, Carolyn DeLaFleur, brother-in-law Douglas Yeager and his wife Kay, and a “favorite” cousin, Nathan Shealy. There are many nephews who will remember their special “Uncle Joe.”

As the passage on the website page below, “The Chosen”, is entitled, Joe was the chosen one to help tell the story. Joe loved genealogy passionately and would challenge each one of us to continue to tell the story. This 2022 edition has been prepared by Steven James Coker with permission from Susan Whittle. Joe also gave Steve permission to copy and publish his work. This edition is for all Whittle descendants in memory of Joe.



Courtesy of the Lexington County Historical Society

In preparation for your visit to this website, we invite you to take a ride on the [Train of Life](#). For those who have speakers, the theme song is from the movie Forrest Gump. Brenda Laney had the following information about Whittle involvement in the movie.

"Did you know that the school bus in the movie Forrest Gump is owned by a Whittle cousin and her husband? Mary Lee Whittle married Neal Hudson in Walterboro, SC. Neal has or had a garage on the land next to their house. Mary Lee's father and mother owned the land and built the house for Mary Lee and Neal's wedding. Anyway they said you could see the bus from I-95 and it may still be there. Their son, Steve, had a tiny bit part driving one of the trucks in the movie."

New Civil War information has recently been added for many Whittle veterans thanks to resources at <https://www.fold3.com>. Although this is a "pay" site, lookups are free. There are millions of digitized Civil War documents from the National Archives. Check it out!

Our latest addition in 2012 is the history of Mount Willing, both in Alabama and South Carolina. All web pages that reference Mount Willing will have a link to this page.

We could sure use your help building this site. Please visit that "old trunk in your attic" and send us your family information.

THE CHOSEN

In each family there is one who seems called to find the ancestors.
To put flesh on their bones and make them live again,
to tell the family story,
and to feel that somehow they know and approve.

Doing genealogy is not a cold gathering of facts,
but, instead, breathing life into all who have gone before.

We are the story tellers of the tribe.
All tribes have one.

We have been called, as it were, by our genes.
We are the chosen.

Those who have gone before cry out to us, Tell our story!
So we do.
In finding them, we somehow find ourselves.

How many graves have I stood before now, and cried?
I have lost count.

How many times have I told the ancestors,
"You have a wonderful family; you would be proud of us."

How many times have I walked up to a grave,
and felt somehow there was love there for me?
I cannot say.

It goes beyond just documenting facts.
It goes to who I am, and why I do the things I do.

It goes to seeing a cemetery
about to be lost forever to weeds and indifference,
and saying "I can't let this happen."
The bones here are the bones of my bone, and flesh of my flesh.
It goes to doing something about it.

It goes to pride in what our ancestors were able to accomplish.
How they contributed to what we are today.

It goes to respecting their hardships and losses,
their never giving in or giving up,
their resoluteness to go on, and build a life for their family.

It goes to deep pride that the fathers fought,
and some died to make and keep us, a nation.

It goes to a deep and immense understanding
that they were doing it for us.

It is of equal pride and love that our mothers struggled to give us
birth,
without them we would not exist, and so we love each one,
as far back as we can reach.

That we might be born who we are.
That we might remember them.
So we do.

With love and caring, we scribe each fact of their existence,
because we are they, and they are the sum of who we are.

And so, as a scribe called, I tell the story of my family.

It is up to that one called in the next generation to answer the call,
and take my place in the long line of family storytellers.

This is why I do my family genealogy,
and this is what calls young and old to step up and restore the
memory,
or greet those whom we have never known before.

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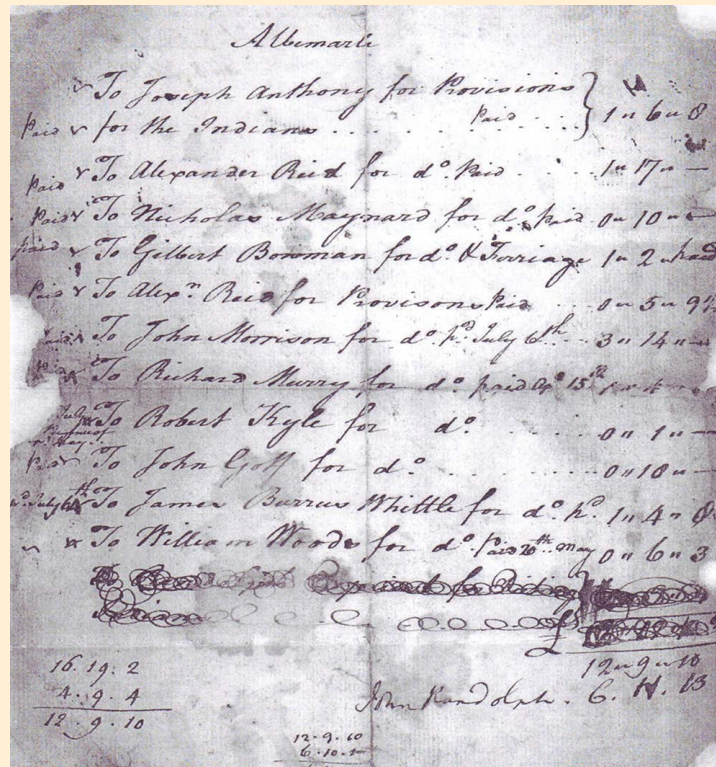
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First Generation

James Burris Whittle (also spelled Burrus and Burrows)

James Burris Whittle makes his first appearance at the Virginia House of Burgesses sometime ca.1752. This handwritten accounting form lists him among several in Albemarle District who are receiving an allowance from the General Assembly for "Provisions for the Indians". Burris receives 1 Pound and 4 Shillings on July 6th. Unfortunately, no year appears on the document.



The accounting form is signed by John Randolph who worked as a clerk for the General Assembly from 1753 until 1765. Assuming James Burris Whittle was a young man of age 21 when he received this payment, we can estimate his birth year as somewhere between 1732 and 1744. So where did James Burris Whittle come from? He could be a younger brother or the first son of Matthew Whittle depending on his age. Matthew's birth year is ca.1720. At present there is no reliable list of Matthew's brothers and sisters. Matthew Whittle and Elizabeth Warren had two documented sons named John and Joseph, both born ca.1750. Proof of this is based on two deeds found in the Virginia Historical Society (VHS) archives.

9 Dec 1776. Matt. Whittle, AC, to his son, Joseph Whittle, for love, 200 ac and upper end of tract where I live. Wit: Jno. Warren, James Warren, Peter Joyner.

21 Jan 1780. Jno. Whittle & wife Sarah; Matthew Whittle & wife Elizabeth, AC, to Charles Wingfield, Sr., Albemarle, for 1000 pds, 400 ac pat. to Matt. Whittle under letters patent and Lees(?) under Buffalo Ridge; branch of Rockey Creek and Christian's path to Moses Higginbotham's mill. Conveyed by Matt. to his sons, Joseph & John Whittle. Jno. bought 200 ac of

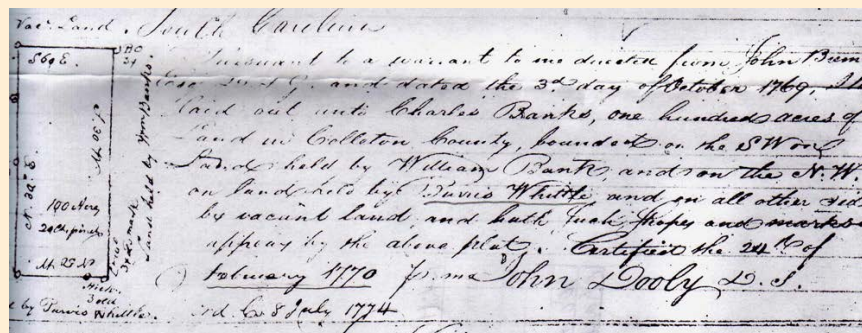
his bro., Joseph. Lines: Col. Chiswell, Jno. Warren, Peter Joiner, Turner Christian, Elijah Christian.
Wit: Peter Joyner, Wm Wilday, Charles Warren, Rich. Harper.

The Burris family in Virginia lives close by in Hanover County. Jacob Burris, Sr. (1680-1755) is listed with 5 sons and 4 daughters. Could one of these Jacob Burris daughters be the mother of James Burris Whittle and the first wife of Matthew Whittle? Researcher, Wayne Whittle, provides his thought on the matter.

"In retrospect to my Matthew Whittle, I have long pondered the marriage date to Elizabeth "Betsy" Warren everyone uses may well be erroneous in that Sudie Rucker Wood from all I can determine "guessed it" (before 1747) premised on she knew from the Rev. Rose Diary that her sister married John Rucker in 1747. Hanover Co. deeds see Matthew Whittle land adjoining that of James Warren, Sr. as early as 1739. . The very same land that Matthew & "Betsy" Whittle file survey for patent on in Dec 1745. . . I for one have a hard time believing Matthew married 6 yrs next door to James Warren, Sr. before taking his daughter Elizabeth to wife. . unless Matthew had lost a 1st wife. . ?? Next comes to mind could Matthew have been raised on this land next to James Warren, Sr. and assumed head of household duties following the death of his father (???). . ."

No James Burris Whittle has been found on any of the available early Virginia land patent lists. One reference to him as a witness is sited in the Rucker Family history. "John Warren of Albemarle Co. sold to Stephen Goggin of Bedford Co., for 25 Pounds, 192 acres of land on Flatt Creek, adjoining David Irvin. Witnesses are Luke Murphy, Thomas Sulter and James Burrus Whittle". This sale took place sometime after 1760.

James Burris used both his first and middle name while in Virginia. In South Carolina he is usually just Burris Whittle, without the James. The only proof we have that Burris is James Burris is the sworn statement by his son James Whittle, Sr. stating that James Burris Whittle was his father. Although no original land grant has been found, on 24 Feb 1770, John Dooly in Colleton County wrote a land memorial for Charles Banks. The property description says that his land borders William Banks and Burris Whittle. That places Burris in South Carolina before 1770.



Courtesy of [South Carolina Department of Archives and History](#)

In 1682 three proprietary counties were set up in South Carolina; Berkeley, Colleton and Craven. In 1685 Carteret County was added. Carteret was renamed Granville County in 1708. These four counties remained until 1769 when they were abolished in favor of the new Judicial Districts. Ninety-six District was created in 1769. The first list of 2,154 "Residents" was dated 1779. On that list we find "Borris Whitel".

Edgefield District was formed from Ninety-six District in 1785. The early settlers from Maryland, North Carolina and Virginia moved into this area that in 1895 became Saluda County. The community of [Mount Willing](#) was the gathering place of all the newly arrived immigrants from 1785 until after the Civil War.

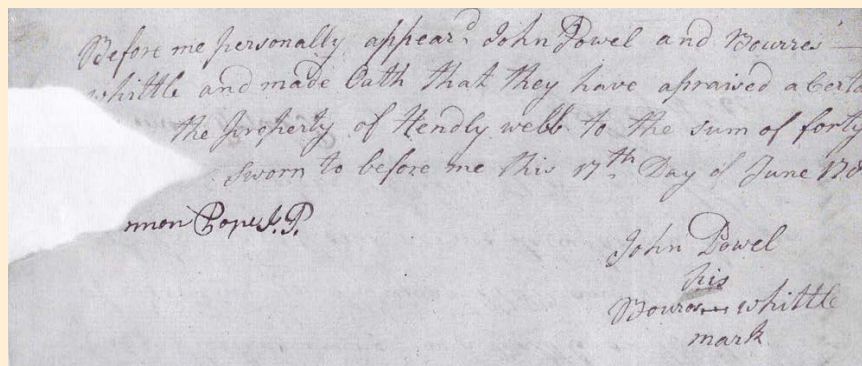
Burris served as a patriot in the South Carolina Militia during the American Revolution. He is listed as a 60 day volunteer in Captain James Butler's Company, but he likely served under William Butler. The Cloud's Creek Massacre took place on 17 Nov 1781. William Butler was a Lieutenant at that time. James Butler and his son

James were both killed at the Massacre, only 2 or 3 survived and Burris is not on any list as one of them. Burris apparently was not in service at the time of the Clouds Creek Massacre. On 20 Dec 1782 Burros Whittle was given a receipt for donating a cow to the militia. Captain William Butler signs this receipt. He will not be compensated for it until the following year.



Courtesy of [South Carolina Department of Archives and History](#)

Had Burris completed his 60-day enlistment at the time of the donation or was this a gesture of continuing patriotic support? When and where was Burris "mortally wounded"? All we know for certain is that Winny Whittle did not receive the annuity that she applied for. We have Bourres Whittle and his mark on an appraisal made for his friend Henley Webb dated 17 Jun 1783. Certainly he was well enough to sign that document. Notice the mark and the 3 notches.



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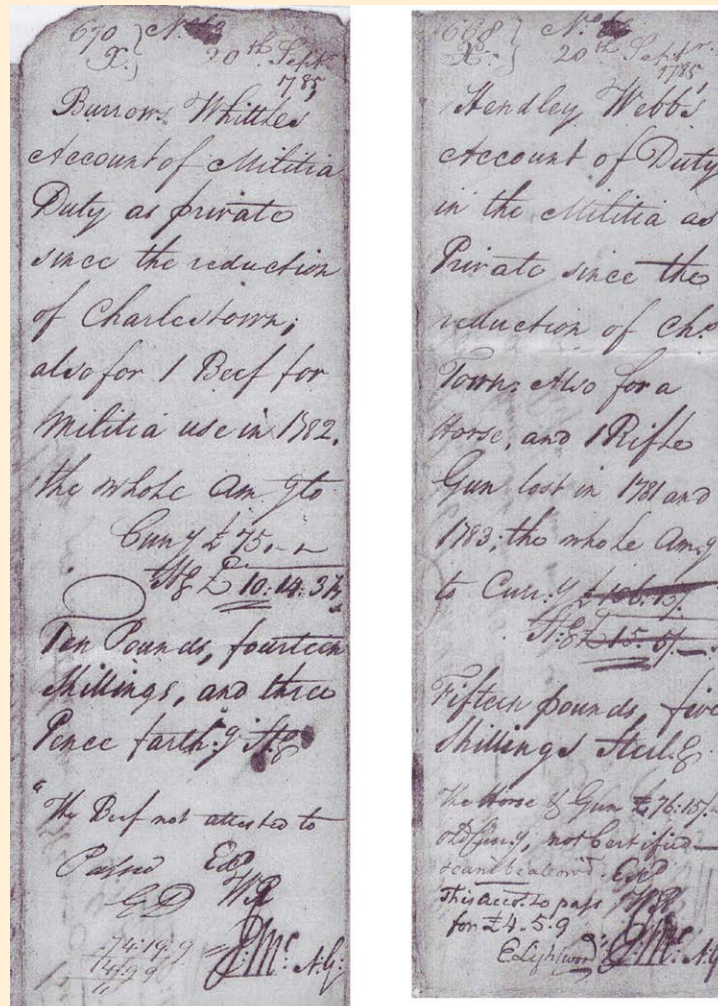
Researcher, Wayne Whittle, has provided us with the following summary of his thoughts on the possible reason for Burris Whittle's rather distinctive 3 notch mark.

"The picture I am getting from all this is a James "Burris" & Winifred Whittle of Virginia who entered old Colleton Co., S C with two infant sons James "Jr" and Joseph. This James in my opinion could either be the eldest son of Matthew Whittle or by chance a younger brother of Matthew? Finally consider for a moment the possibility there may have been two separate James Whittles who at one time lived in Edgefield Co., S. C? One born in VA, the other Ireland?? Holy Molley, wouldn't that be something. . . one or both with a son, James. . .

We know that many a settler lived far out in the wilderness long before County records embraced them. . Also, that immigrants and nare do wells were pushed out to the wilderness to scratch for themselves sometimes 10-25 yrs before being noticed in County records. . . there is reference in a 1743 account of a death where it references Lickinghole Church Cemetery (now Fluvanna Co) being next to 'Whittle Creek'. . . Virginia settlers were known to name creeks and branches after settlers who first lived by them. . . Lickinghole was one of the ten districts originally laid out when Old Goochland County was formed c. 1727. "Albemarle Roads" tells one of James Jefferson's 1st undertakings was to supervise constructing a road (III Notch) from Charlottesville through to Lickinghole. . .c. 1732-37. ."

The book, South Carolina Revolutionary War Indents: A Schedule by John Lennell Andrews, Jr. Published by

SCMAR, Columbia, S.C., 2001, lists "Burrows" as having served in Colonel Purvis's Regiment. We have his pay stub #670, dated 20 Sep 1783 including reimbursement for 1 beef. Some accounts say his friend Hendley Webb was a survivor of the massacre; he was in line just in front of Burris on the same day, and his number was #668.



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In 1823, almost 40 years later, Winny Whittle and James Whittle, Sr., her son, petitioned the State Committee on Pensions and both swore an affidavit that "Burris received a mortal wound in a battle that was near Cloud Creek in Edgefield District." Winny was denied her pension. Was this battle the Cloud's Creek Massacre? It is likely that Burris was not there and perhaps not yet even in the service of his country. This was not the only battle fought near Cloud's Creek. It is also important to consider that Burris Whittle was probably not a young man in 1781. His age would be somewhere between 37 and 49. It is unlikely that he would be chosen first in line of battle.

To the Honorable Legislature of S^c Carolina
 The Petition of Winny Whittle humbly sheweth
 That she is the Widow of James Burris Whittle
 Who was a Zealous and an active friend to the
 Cause of Liberty in the Revolutionary war, he
 Received a mortal wound, in a battle in 1780
 near Cloud Creek in Edgefield District as the
 accompanying Document will prove; your Petitioner
 is very old and infirm and in very Indigent
 Circumstances not able to labour for a support,
 Consequently has Petitioned your Honorable Body
 to take her Case into Consideration hoping and
 Believing that you will Grant her an annuity
 and she in Duty Bound will Ever pray
 Nov. 22nd 1823
 Winny L. Whittle

Courtesy of [South Carolina Department of Archives and History](#)

Petition of Winny
 Whittle praying for
 an annuity -
 No.
 stands over for Mr. Wilson to be put
 on the way
 prayer not granted

Courtesy of [South Carolina Department of Archives and History](#)

In 2012, researcher, Amberys Whittle suggested that there is a good reason why Winny may have had her pension denied:

"Apparently, the government did not have "Capt. Wm. Butler's Roll" until 1838, well after the petition was presented. If I am correct here, the denial shouldn't reflect badly on either JBW or his widow. The officials dealing with the petition just didn't have the document they needed to validate the petition, and there were no remaining witnesses of JBW's service."

"Capt. Wm. Butler's Roll SC Militia

Taken from Mr. R. [?] Butler~~ papers, [note: middle initial and word or so after Butler not clear here]

July 7, 1838

SC No. 6224

1781-2"

Burris was not around for the first US Census in 1790 and we have deeds by 1793 that refer to "Burris Whittle's land, deceased". Since he was in the pay line 20 Sep 1783, he must have departed this world sometime thereafter. The Burris name was not popular with Whittles and we do not have any subsequent Burris Whittles. There are some "B" middle initials however, but none have been substantiated as Burris. The Warren family apparently felt differently. Burris Warren was born in South Carolina 21 July 1788 and according to the Eidson Family records, he was the son of Thomas Warren, Sr. and Elizabeth Eidson. Burris named his 3rd son James Burris Warren.

1. James Burris Whittle was probably born in Virginia ca.1740 and died in Ninety-six District South Carolina ca.1783. JBW married Winifred Warren (not proven) the daughter of Rev James Warren, Jr and the sister of Thomas Warren, Sr. She was born about 1744, and died after 1823. JBW and Winny had only one documented son, James Whittle. Two other sons are possible however, and they are listed here until proven otherwise.

- + 2 M i [Joseph Whittle](#)
- + 3 M ii [James M. Whittle Sr.](#)
- + 4 M iii [John Whittle](#)

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Second Generation

The Possible Children of James Burris Whittle

2. [Joseph Whittle](#) was born about 1755 and died in 1811. He is a possible son of James Burris Whittle, but there is no proof to date.

The 1790 US Census for Virginia was destroyed, but the Amherst County Historical Society in Virginia has both the 1783 and 1785 indexed Heads of Household lists. Amherst County was created from Albemarle County in 1761. The 1783 list has Joseph Whittle with a family count of 10. The 1785 list has Joseph "Whettle" with 11. Assuming his wife is alive, this leaves Joseph with 9 children.

Considerable research has been conducted on Virginia's [John Warren Whittle](#) (1750-1816). John and Joseph are last seen paying taxes in Amherst County in 1787, although there is a John Whittle on the reconstructed 1790 VA census. By 1793 John has settled in Old Lincoln County, Kentucky. His whereabouts from 1787 until 1793 are unknown. His brother Joseph remains a mystery, and is not on the 1790 reconstructed census. It is believed by researchers that the majority of Joseph's family settled in Tennessee. Is Joseph Whittle of VA the same Joseph Whittle found in SC on the 1790 census?

There are four Whittles in the 1790 Edgefield County South Carolina US Census; Jo "Whittel", John Whittle, Jos Whittle and James "Whettel". The 1790 census only lists total female counts. Jo Whittel lives a few doors away from John and has 2 males under 16 and 3 females. Jos Whittle is on the previous page with 1 male over age 16, 1 male under 16 and 6 females. Jos Whittle has a family count close to our Virginia Joseph; however, "Jos" could be "Jas", a common abbreviation of James or "Jo" could be "Ja", another abbreviation of James. If there are two Joseph Whittles, one could be our VA Joseph and the other a son of James Burris Whittle.

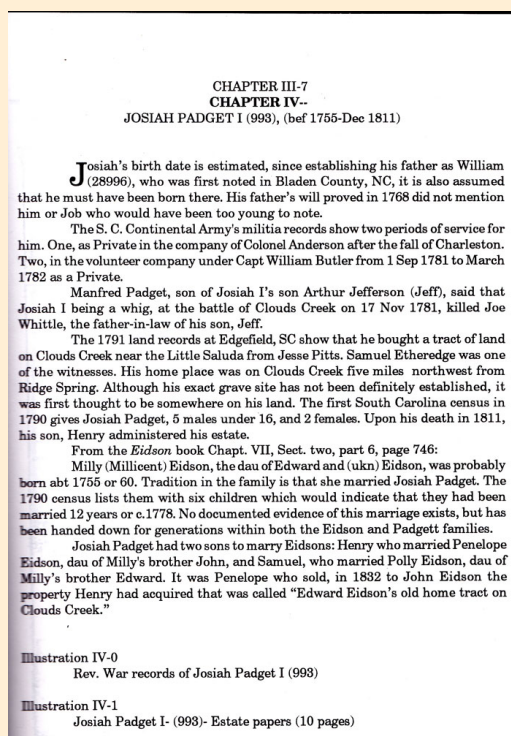
The only deed in SC for Joseph Whittle, dated 5 May 1785, "50 acres adjoining William Holston on Clouds Creek". It is recorded in 96 District Plat Book A . If this is our Virginia Joseph he moved awfully fast to have also been included on the 1785 Amherst County VA heads of households list. No other deeds for Joseph Whittle have been found. He next appears as a witness 2 Jan 1788, on a deed between Anthony Argo and William Corley.

The 1800 South Carolina census lists only James and Joseph Whittle living next door to each other. No other misspelled Whittles seem likely. The 1800 census gives us some better information about the ages of family members. Joseph Whittle has 1 male under 10, 2 males under 16 and 1 male under 26. He is listed as over 45. There are 2 females under 10, 2 under 16 and his wife (or possible mother) is over 45. This seems to be the "Jo Whittel" from 1790. His birth year can now be guessed at ca.1755. James Whittle is reported to be over 26 and under 45, so it seems that Joseph is the elder.

Fortunately the estate settlement for James Whittle, Sr. is available and it includes the names of his live and predeceased children. By process of elimination the Whittles we begin finding by 1810 can be attributed to Joseph unless they died before James, and had no heirs when his estate was settled. The question is which Joseph, if there were two in 1790?

On the 1810 census Joseph Whittle has 1 male under 10 and 1 under 26. He also has 2 females under 16 and presumably his wife is still alive and listed as over age 45. Four new Whittle names also appear; a second James, Macajah, William and Willis. Macajah is the only name not found in James Whittle's estate settlement but the new James may not be James Jr. He has a mature family, James Jr. would only have been 20 years old. (visit [Other Early Whittles with SC Roots](#)).

Joseph Whittle is not to be found by 1820. Padgett family tradition says that Joe Whittle was shot by his son in law's father, Josiah Padgett, in 1781, at the battle of Clouds Creek. The evidence for this is found in the Padgett family book. It is likely that Joseph was a British loyalist (Tory), he is not found on any of the patriot rosters nor has any pension application been found. Josiah was in Captain Butler's militia, which makes the story more believable. This shooting may also explain why it has been said over the years that these two Edgefield families had "little to do with each other". They seem to have a lot to do with each other earlier.



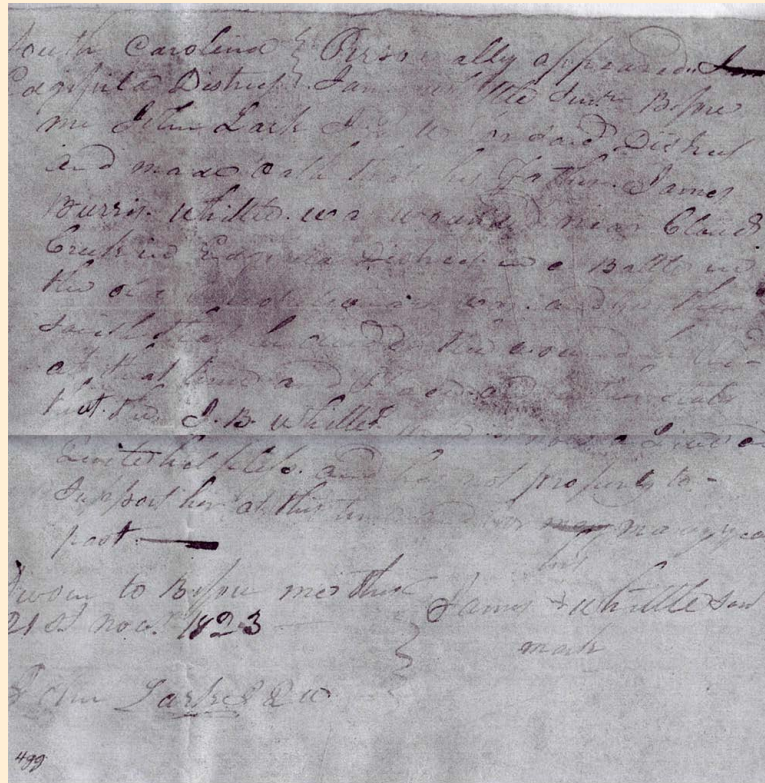
Courtesy of [Descendants of Josiah Padgett I, Compiled by James Suddath Paget Jr., Copyright 1998.](#)

Joseph Whittle's children have not been proven. They are assumed to be from Joseph, and wife still unknown, since they are not listed in the estate settlement of James Whittle, Sr. Using the 1800 census as a starting point there are at least 4 male and 4 female children to be accounted for.

- 5 M i [Micajah Whittle](#)
- + 6 M ii [James C. Whittle](#)
- + 7 M iii [Ambrose Whittle](#)
- + 8 F iv [Lydia Whittle](#)
- + 9 F v [Winnifred Whittle](#)
- 10 M vi [George Whittle](#)

3. [James M. Whittle, Sr.](#) born about 1765 and died 7 Feb 1844, is the only proven son of James Burris Whittle.

James M. Whittle, Sr. swore an affidavit that Burris was his father. "Personally appeared James Whittle Senior before me John Lark...said..and made oath that his father James Burris Whittle was wounded near Cloud Creek in Edgefield District in a battle in the old ...and then said that he died from the wound..at that time and place and further states the J.B. Whittle ..was ..and has not property to support her at this time and..many years past."



Courtesy of [South Carolina Department of Archives and History](#)

There is only one James Whittle in 1800, but there is a second James on the 1810 census, both have males in the household over age 45. The first James lives next door to Thomas and James Warren and has 2 males under 10, 2 males under 16, 1 male over 45, 2 females under 10, 1 female under 16, 1 female under 45 and one female over 45. The second one lives between William Whittle and Elijah Watson with Macajah Whittle close by. He has 2 males under 10, 1 male under 26, 1 male under 45, 1 male over 45 but only 1 female is listed, she is under 26.

Records of James Whittle, Jr.'s children show Edy Whittle as his first born in 1814. If James Jr. is one of the James in 1810, he should have no children. One of these James is clearly James Whittle, Sr., the other remains a mystery. Let's see if the land deeds give us any clues.

The first James Whittle deed is from book 29-p. 277, "Thomas Deloach to James Whittle, Deed of Conveyance, 21 Oct 1794, 50 pounds sterling money of this State, 50 acres, it being part of three tracts originally granted to William Holston and James (name lost in binding but probably Warren) and Hendley Webb, by Gov William Bull, 8 July 1774. Witnesses [Samuel Deen](#), Michael Deloach."

Second deed, book 29-p. 278 "Solomon Deloach to James Whittle, Deed of Conveyance, (day lost in binding) Oct (year lost in binding), \$60, 50 acres on Clouds Creek of Little Saluda River, it being part of three tracts originally granted to Wm Holston, James Warren and Hendley Webb, 8 July 1774, adjoining West on Hendly Webb and other sides on James Whittle. Witnesses Matt Burden, Thos (X) Cate, Ezekiel Perry."

Third deed, "Robert Webb to James Whittle, Deed of Conveyance, 4 Jan 1800, \$80, 100 acres, being part of 287 acres granted to Hendly Webb, 10 Oct 1792, situated on Jacobs Branch of Clouds Creek of Saluda River by Gov William Moultrie. Witnesses James Whittle, Merrit Johns."

Fourth deed, book 29-p. 276 "Elijah Padgett of Jefferson County, Georgia to James Whittle of Edgefield County, SC, Deed of Conveyance, 12 Jan 1803: Georgia; Jefferson County: \$200, 200 acres on Clouds Creek, 140 acres being part of 200 acres granted to Wm Holston and 60 acres granted to James Warren lying on East side of Clouds Creek adjacent the before mentioned tract of 20 acres. Witnesses Snoden Kirkland, Walter Roberson."

All 4 of these deeds reference land originally owned by the same 3 people, Holston, Warren and Webb. James Warren sold his land in Edgefield County and moved to Green County, KY in 1796. There are Revolutionary War records for a William Holston in Maryland, but its uncertain that they are one and the same. Hendley Webb seems to have been a good friend of Burris Whittle.

There are several interesting questions here. Why would it be necessary to describe James Whittle's land as adjoining James Whittle on the 2nd deed? Who is the James Whittle who witnesses James Whittle on the 3rd deed? It certainly can't be James Whittle, Jr. or James C. Whittle, both of them are still children in 1800 (visit [Other Early Whittles with SC Roots](#)).

Witnesses on the first 2 deeds seem to be well known names in early Edgefield County history. Michael Deloach is listed on the 1782 "head of household" census in Isle of Wight, VA and then moves to SC. Ezekiel Perry appears to have migrated from North Carolina. [Samuel Deen](#) arrived in Edgefield County in time to serve in the Edgefield Company during the Revolutionary War.

Our researcher, Wayne Whittle, provides this information about Merrit Johns as a witness to the 3rd deed. "The Johns name connects with Whittle's Rest, Ann Arundel County, MD originally patented by George Whittle & Alice Parker c. 1654. A (?) George Whittle, Ann Arundel County, MD left 4 unnamed orphans c. 1677 that were awarded to Wm. & Mary Parker, Aunt of the children. . . . Circa 1718 Whittles Rest (400 acres) has passed to the Johns family (of Johns-Hopkins fame). The names, gender, and destiny of these Whittle orphans remains a mystery. . . It is also unclear how Whittle's Rest was pasted to the Johns?" Another interesting note is that Snowden Kirkland, witness on the 4th deed, is likely the son of Richard Kirkland and Mary Snowden who migrated to Edgefield County from All Hallows Parish, Ann Arundel County, MD sometime before 1772. There are also records for the Roberson name in Ann Arundel, however, no Walter has been found.

There are three James Whittles by 1820. The first one still lives next door to William Whittle as in 1810. On his other side lives Gazeway Bowen who will be discussed later. James tells the census taker that he is James Whittle, Sr. His family count is generally consistent with what it should have been in 1820. The second James identifies himself as James Whittle, Jr. He has 2 males under 10 and 2 females under 10, so this is obviously a young family. There is little doubt that this is the son of James Sr. Our third James also has a young family and he is believed to be the son of Joseph Whittle. There is no trace of the other James Whittle seen in 1810.

James Whittle married Lucretia (unknown). Lucretia was born c.1780 and died in 1854. She is found living with her daughter Elizabeth and Russel Padgett on the 1850 census and is listed as age 70. If this information is correct, James was probably married twice. Lucretia would have only been 5 years old when William was born. James died intestate in 1844 so the court settled his estate listing his 13 children.

(Apt.) Box 51, (file) Pkg. 2147. Estate of James Whittle, decd; Joseph Whittle, Admin. (FHL film 162,264)

Petition of Lucretia (X) Whittle and Joseph Whittle, Feb. 12, 1844, witness F. H. Wardlow; that James Whittle late of Edgefield Dist. died on 7 Feb. 1844 without a will, leaving as his next of kin & heirs at law, a widow, your petitionery Lucretia, and twelve sons and daughters, namely your petitioner Joseph, and William, Willis, Elijah, James, John, Mastin, Ira, Mary wife of Richard Dunkin, Matilda wife of John Story, Elizabeth wife of Russel Padgett, and Effie wife of Jacob Certain, and the children of Reuben a predeceased son; that the intestate was possessed at his death of personalty of above the value of \$5,000; petitioners pray they may receive a grant of the admin. of goods and chattels and credits of said James Whittle decd. (frame 15)

Account current, 6 Jan. 1845, with Joseph Whittle & Lucretia Whittle Administrators; payments Feb. 26, 1844 to various court costs and for costs of sale, to Dec. 28; received on note of Zachariah Miles amount due estate, and received of Ezekiel Padgett small amount; the account current examined and sworn to 6 Jan. 1845, /s/ Joseph Whittle. (frame 4)

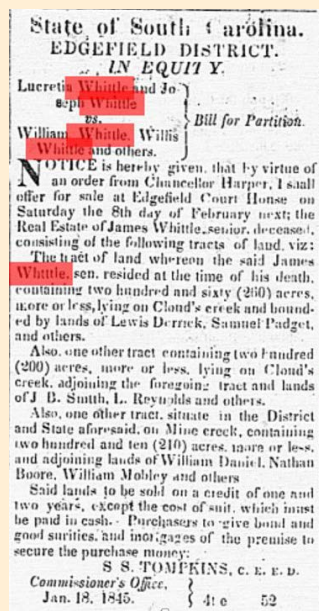
Account current, filed 8 Jan. 1846, Lucretia Whitten, Amrx. Payments Dec. 24, 1844 Elijah Whittle by hand of James Whittle, part of his legacy. Dec. 7, 1844, paid Irw?. Whittle by hand of Felix E. Beau, part of his legacy. Decr. 28, 1844, paid Russel Padgett & wife Eliza part of their distributive share. Jan. 30, 1845, paid Willis Whitten part of legacy; Jan. 1, 1845, paid John Whittle part of his legacy; Jan. 15, 1845, paid Richard & Mary Dunkin part of legacy; Jan. 5, 1845, paid Richard & Mary Dunkin part of legacy; Jan. 4, 1845, paid Lawson Ryorden for carrying chain, same to Wilbert Cambo; Jan. 1, 1845, paid John & Matilan? Storw? part of their legacy; Jan. 4, 1845, paid Ambrose Whittle as appraiser; Jan. 6, 1845, paid John Hite J.E.D. Recovering Estate; ... Jan. 24, 1845, paid Elijah Whittle part of legacy; Feb. 1, 1845, paid John Storw? & Matilan? his wife part of their legacy; Feb. 1, 1845, paid Irw?. Whittle in part of his legacy; Feb. 6, 1845 & Feb. 21, 1845, paid Russel Padgett & wife Eliza. part of their distributive share; Sept. 8, 1845, paid James Whittle by power of attorney for Jacob Sartin & wife Effie in part of their distributive share; Sept. 9, 1845, paid James Whittle by power of attorney for Jacob Sartin & wife Effie part of their legacy; Oct. 8, 1845, paid Willis Whittle part of legacy; Nov. 14, 1845, paid James Whittle by power of attorney for William Whittle part of his legacy; July 2, 1845, paid Lucretia Whittle administratrix in part of her distributive share; July 4, paid James Whittle by power of attorney for William Whittle legatee part of his legacy; ... (paid various accounts). (frame 3)

Distribution of the estate of James Whittle decd (settlement), 8 Jan. 1846; Amount to be divided among the children, there being 13 children; each child's account set forth separately as to advancements and final amount due: Willis Whittle, Elijah Whittle, James Whittle, John Whittle, Joseph Whittle, Ira Whittle (plain), Matilda Storea (Stoned?), Mary Dunkin, Elizabeth Padgett, William Whittle, Mastin Whittle, Rheubin Whittle ... due the children of Rheuben Whittle decd, Effa Sertan. (frame 6 & 7)

Account current, 1 Feb. 1847, with Lucretia Whittle & Joseph Whittle Admrs. Payments Jan. 9, 1846, to Joseph Whittle in full of his legacy; to James Whittle attorney of William Whittle in full of his legacy; to James Whittle attorney of Effa Sartin in full of her legacy; to Lucretia Whittle part of her legacy; to Elijah Whittle, John Story?, Russel Padgett, Richard Dunkin, Willis Whittle, Mastin Whittle, John Whittle, Ira? (Irw.?) Whittle, each in full of their share; Oct. 4, 1846, paid Lucretia Whittle part of her share, paid Feb. 1, 1847 to Lucretia Whittle, widow, in full of her distributive share

of estate. (frame 5)

Distribution of James Whittle's estate. James Whittle intestate, decd 7 Feb. 1844, leaving a widow Lucretia and 12 children, namely, William, Willis, Elijah, James, Joseph, John, Masten, Ira, Effie wife of Jacob Sertin, Matilda wife of John Story, Polly wife of Richard Dunkin, Elizabeth wife of Russel Padget, and if? set of grandchildren, children of a predeceased son Reuben; Joseph & Lucretia administrators and Joseph afterward died. The following advancements were made by intestate in his lifetime to his children, viz, to Willis Whittle, Elijah Whittle, James Whittle, John Whittle, Joseph Whittle, Ira Whittle, Matilda Story, Mary Dunkin, Elizabeth Padget, William Whittle, Mastin Whittle, Reuben Whittle, Effie Sertan; ... amounts received from various, amounts paid to legatees ... (MAD: seems to be similar to accounts listed in Box 51, pkg. 2147, on settlement of 8 Jan. 1846.) (frames 58-59)



Courtesy of the Edgefield Advertiser Newspaper

Lucretia's estate was probated 10 years later by her grandson Hartwell Eugene Whittle. Only 6 children are specifically identified, John Whittle, Mary Whittle Dunkin, Ira Whittle, Elizabeth Whittle Padgett, Children of Matilda Whittle Story and the children of Joseph Whittle. It would appear that a total of 13 children were paid based on the last sentence (frame 262); however, that depends on what 1/7 of \$84.26, really means.

Box 72, Pkg 2911 Estate of Lucretia Whittle dec'd, admin. Hartwell Whittle (FHL firm 162,276)

Petition for letters of admin. & sale of estate, Dec. 15, 1854, by Hartwell Whittle for John Whittle; a short time since his mother Lucretia Whittle died intestate seized and prosessed of a small personal estate which remains to be administered; prays that letters of administration be granted him (frame 261).

Ordinary's Office, Jan. 1, 1855; on application of Hartwell Whittle admin. Of Lucretia Whittle decd, ordered that he sell at late residence of said dec'd on Saturday 20th inst all of the personal property of said dec'd on a credit until 25 Dec. next 1855, purchasers giving notes with amble security; sale not to commence earlier than 10 o'clock AM

(frame 261).

Account current, 26 March 1857, estate of Lucretia Whittle, Hartwell Whittle admin. Payments Apr. 28, 1856, to Elly Whittle in part to his distributive share; payments March 15, 1857 in full of their distributive share to: Elly Whittle \$15.40, John Whittle \$84.26. Mary Dunkin \$92.44, Ira Whittle \$92.44, Russel Padgett & wife \$92.44, William Stevens guardian in full for his wards, Permilia and Hezekiah Whittle \$30.80, William Story \$18.48, Arren Whittle \$15.40, Julie McClendon \$15.40, Eldred Whittle \$15.40; also paid costs and attorney's fees (frame 260).

Settlement, Account Current, showing income from sale bill and payments, 1/7 share each \$84.26, heirs not named (frame 262).

James Whittle, possibly a first wife, and Lucretia had the following children:

- + 11 M i [William M. Whittle](#)
- + 12 M ii [Willis Whittle](#)
- + 13 M iii [James M. Whittle, Jr.](#)
- + 14 M iv [Elijah Whittle](#)
- 15 F v [Effie Whittle](#)
- + 16 F vi [Matilda Whittle](#)
- + 17 M vii [Joseph Whittle](#)
- + 18 M viii [John Whittle](#)
- + 19 M ix [Reuben Whittle](#)
- + 20 F x [Mary Whittle](#)
- + 21 M xi [Maston Whittle](#)
- + 22 F xii [Elizabeth Whittle](#)
- + 23 M xiii [Ira Cromwell Whittle](#)

4. [John Whittle](#) born about 1767, died 2 Mar 1836 is a possible son of James Burris Whittle but there is no proof to date.

Some researches believe that John Whittle is a son of Joseph Whittle who received land in Amherst County Virginia in 1776 by gift from his father, Matthew Whittle, and In 1785 Joseph and his family moved to Edgefield County, South Carolina. This theory is possible but lets examine the available evidence.

The children of John Warren Whittle, the other son of Matthew Whittle, are fairly well documented and they settled in Kentucky, but there are a lot of Whittle's in Kentucky and Tennessee who by default are attributed to Joseph Whittle. Did Joseph Whittle move to South Carolina and then back to Virginia after parts of Virginia were carved up to become Kentucky, and parts of North Carolina, Tennessee? There is no evidence of a Joseph Whittle in either Kentucky or Tennessee during this early time period. There is also little evidence that either of the Joseph's on the 1790 South Carolina census are the same as our Virginia Joseph. The only evidence is the family count from the 1785 Amherst County, VA census and the Jos Whittle family count on the 1790 SC census are similar. Unfortunately we have no sex breakdown from the VA records. In order to prove anyone's theory, we must find the father of the second Joseph on the 1790 census and figure out who went to Kentucky, Tennessee or stayed in South Carolina.

On 6 June 1790, John Whittle receives 202 acres of land bordering the land of Burris Whittle. This original grant from Governor Charles Pinckney does not say Burris Whittle, deceased, although he is most likely. Is it just a coincidence that John Whittle gets land adjoining Burris Whittle?



Courtesy of [South Carolina Department of Archives and History](#)

Who is living on Burris Whittle's land when John moves in next door? From the 1790 Census it appears to be Winney Warren, who is shown as head of household with 1 male under 16 and 2 females. Is she the widow of Burris Whittle? If so, the 3 children may be Whittles or Warrens. John Whittle has 1 male under 16 and 1 female. The 1790 census only lists males over age 16, under age 16 and total females, there is no age breakdown for women, but this would seem to be a very young family. Without knowing their age, it is impossible to determine if the one female listed is his wife or daughter. It is also interesting to note that John's other neighbors include both Capt. William Butler and Hendley Webb.

In 1793 (day and month not given), John Whittle sells 50 acres of his 202 acres to John Jolly. Winney Whittle signs the deed as his wife. Burris Whittle is listed as deceased. Joseph Whittle, Joseph Jolley and John Warren are the witnesses. On 4 Mar 1794, John Whittle sells 100 acres to Thomas Warren. On this document, Burris Whittle is listed as deceased. John and his wife Winney sign it and Thomas Walker, John Gregory and Elizabeth Gregory are witnesses. Apparently it is just coincidence that John's wife is also named Winney. The disposition of the final 52 acres of John's land has not been found, but it does appear that John Whittle is about to exit South Carolina.

There is no John Whittle on the 1800 South Carolina census. There is a John Whitley living in Edgefield District and it is possible that the spelling could be wrong if you closely examine the hand written census. His neighbors are very different however, than those found on the 1790 census. Most researchers have concluded that John Whittle, sometimes referred to as "Reverend John Whittle", is the John Whittle that appears on the 1798 Tax Index in Burke County, Georgia. The 1790 through 1810 census schedules for Georgia no longer exist. The British burned them during the War of 1812. We will not find a John Whittle in Georgia again until the 1820 census where he appears in Washington County and is the pastor of Bethlehem Baptist Church.

John Whittle married Winney, reported by some researchers as Sanford. Winney was born about 1760 and died after 1860 in Brooks County, GA. On the 1850 census she is living with her daughter Sarah and son-in-law William Barwick, age 85. The census enumerator recorded Virginia

as her birthplace. On the 1860 census, she is living with her daughter Mary and son-in-law Julius Peddie, age 100. The handwriting on the 1860 census is difficult to read, but it appears the enumerator lists North Carolina as her birthplace.

Considering all of this timeline, most of the evidence suggests that John Whittle is a younger brother of Joseph and James Whittle. The children of John and Winney Whittle are:

- + 24 F i [Sarah Whittle](#)
- + 25 M ii [Ambrose Whittle](#)
- + 26 M iii [Burrell Whittle](#)
- + 27 F iv [Mary Whittle](#)
- 28 F v [Aletha Elizabeth Whittle](#)
- + 29 M vi [Seaborn Whittle](#)
- 30 F vii [Jane Whittle](#) was born 29 July 1810. No further information has been found.
- + 31 M viii [James Whittle](#)
- + 32 F ix [Penelope Whittle](#)

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The South Carolina Whittle Families

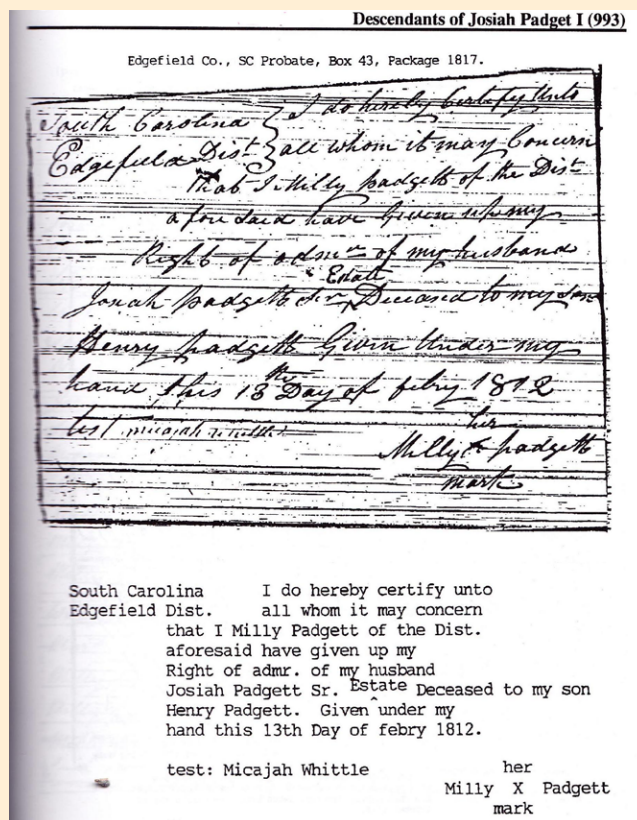
Third Generation

The Possible Children of Joseph Whittle

5. [Macajah Whittle](#) was born about 1788.

On the 1810 census Macajah Whittle has 1 male under age 10 and 2 females under age 10. Macajah is in the age 26 to 44 column. On 5 Feb 1810, Macajah is a witness to a deed between Thomas Warren and Martin Fouts. There is a deed recorded 16 Jan 1813 that shows a transfer of land from Thomas Warren to Henry Padgett and Macajah Whittle. This property adjoins Leonard Webb, James Whittle and Absalum Shearly (Shealy). Apparently Macajah and Henry Padgett had a close relationship. According to Padgett family history, the two patriarchs of the Edgefield Padgett branch were brothers Josiah and Job Padgett. Both were volunteers in Captain Butler's militia along with Burris Whittle. Henry Padgett was a son of Josiah Padgett.

On the 1820 census Macajah lives next door to another member of Captain Butler's militia, [James Eidson](#). He has 1 male under 16 and 2 females under 16. A female of the right age to be his wife is on it as well. Macajah is in the under age 45 column. This is the last we will see of Macajah Whittle in SC. Between 1810 and 1820 he makes appearances at several documented estate sales and then vanishes sometime after 1820. He shows up on an 1826 tax list in Twiggs County, GA along with Watson Whittle who we will assume was his son.



Courtesy of Descendants of Josiah Padgett I, Compiled by James Suddath Paget Jr., Copyright 1998.

All indications from this appointment are that Macajah was married to a daughter of Josiah Padgett and Henry was his brother-in-law. It is possible, however, that he was married to an Eidson because as noted in the Padgett books, tradition has it that Milly Padgett was an Eidson. It would also appear from the original document that Macajah signed his own name instead of using the X.

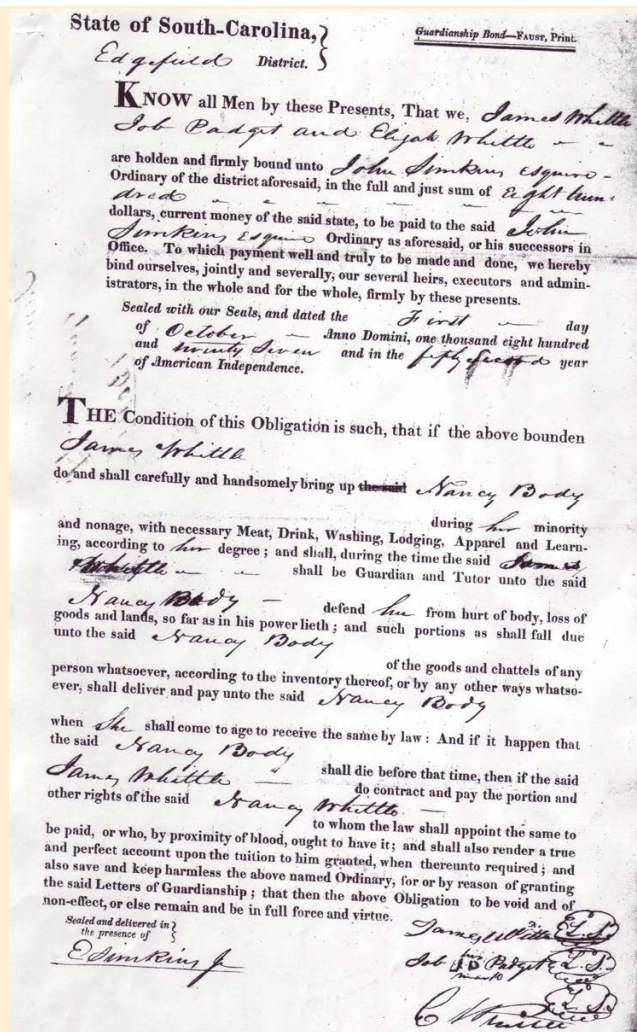
Macajah (Micajer) Whittle appears again in Dale County, AL with a military record showing he was promoted to 2nd Lt, 5th Brigade 11th Division, 46th Regiment on 21 May 1847. It is unknown what happened to him after this.

6. [James C. Whittle](#) was born about 1788 and died in late 1860 or early 1861.

James C. may be the third James Whittle on the 1820 census. He lives next door to John Lark and has a young family; 2 males under 10, 1 under 16, 1 female under 10 and 2 females under 26. He is shown as under age 45 but there is no comparably aged female. Records of James C's known children tell us that he probably only had 1 child by 1820, these children can not be Micajah's because he is on the 1820 census. James began using his middle initial on some legal documents, most likely to distinguish him from James M. Whittle.

James married Margaret Padgett who was a daughter of Job Padgett. Several interesting guardianship documents have been recently found that concern James C. Whittle. He was appointed guardian of Nancy Bodie on 1 Oct 1827. The other parties to the agreement were Job Padgett and Elijah Whittle (son of James Sr.). Nancy was the daughter of John Bodie, son of Allen Bodie. John Bodie died 24 Nov 1833 prior to the settlement of Allen Bodie's estate. It is unclear as to why James got this appointment except for the fact that Job Padgett was married to Mary C. Bodie and perhaps he was the only one available at the time Nancy Bodie's father died in 1833. Elisha Whittle and his wife Orpha are also involved in the estate settlement of Allen Bodie. (See [Other Early Whittles with SC Roots](#))

Another mystery is why Elijah Whittle was a party to the guardianship. He is a descendant of James Whittle, Sr. There is no middle initial on this bond indenture, but the similarity of the signatures in 1827 and again in 1838 are quite noticeable. Additionally, both James M. Sr. and Jr. always "made their mark". Also note in the last paragraph, the reference to Nancy Whittle instead of Body. Is this an error made by Judge Simpkins? Elijah Whittle's wife's name is Nancy. Could this be the answer as to why he is on the bond?



Courtesy Edgefield County Archives, Edgefield, SC.

In the 1830 census there are 2 male children under age 10, 1 female under 5 and 1 female under 20. James lives next door to Job Padgett. As in 1820, there is no female near his age on the census. Job Padgett died intestate in 1837. His children fought over his estate for more than 15 years. The heirs of Margaret Padgett Whittle are listed in his estate settlement, so she either died prior to her father or before his estate went to court. On 7 Jan 1838, James M. Norris is appointed co-guardian for Sampson and Mary Ann Whittle. James C. Whittle signs as a witness so he apparently was hedging his bet by establishing this arrangement in case he died before his children reached maturity. Notice the similarity of the signature of James C. Whittle as compared to 1827.

State of South Carolina, }
 Edgefield DISTRICT. }
 7 Jan 1836

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we James M Norris
 James Whittle and Nathan Norris
 and each of us, and any two or more of us, are held and firmly bound unto
 C. Tomlin, Ordinary for the District of Edgefield
 and State aforesaid, his successors in Office, or assigns, in the sum of Two thousand
 Dollars, for the payment of which we bind ourselves, jointly and severally, and any two or
 more of us, our heirs, executors and administrators, and those of each of us, unto the said
 Office, or assigns.
 C. Tomlin, Ordinary as aforesaid, his successors in
 Office, or assigns.

Given under our hands and seals, this 10th day of January
 in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

Whereas the above named C. Tomlin, as Ordinary
 of District of Edgefield and State aforesaid, has this day granted
 Letters of Guardianship to the above bound
 on the Person Estate of James Whittle and Nathan Norris Minor

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that if the
 Above bound James M Norris shall well
 and truly perform the duties of Guardian of the said Minors
 and shall yearly, and every year account to the said Ordinary, or his successors, for all such
 sum or sums of money, books, papers, writings, and things, which shall come into his
 hands, power or knowledge, or which he may have received or be entrusted with on
 account of his said Guardianship, and shall in other respects behave and demean
 himself honestly and faithfully touching said Guardianship, and shall at any and all
 times when required by the said Court of Ordinary to come to an account and settlement
 before the said Court of Ordinary, on the estate of the said James Whittle and
 Nathan Norris and pay the amounts which shall be ascertained to
 be in his hands, to such person or persons, as shall be appointed by the said Court of
 Ordinary to receive the same, either by revocation or otherwise; then the above obligation
 is to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Sealed and delivered, in }
 the presence of }
 Joel Curry
 James M. Norris
 James C. Whittle
 Nathan Norris

Courtesy Edgefield County Archives, Edgefield, SC

Edgefield District } to C. Tomlin, Ord. of said District

The petition of James M. Norris shews that Mary Ann
 Whittle is a Minor under fourteen years of age and is in-
 trusted in a female estate and has no legal Guardian
 to superintend her interests in said estate. He therefore
 prays to be nominated and appointed Guardian of her
 person and estate upon his giving the usual Bond and
 security. This 7 day of January 1839. J. M. Norris

S. Carolina } to Oliver Potts Esq. ordinary of
 Edgefield District the District aforesaid

The prayer of your petitioner respectfully
 shews, that my daughter Mary Ann Whittle
 is under fourteen years of age and is entrusted
 to a Distributive share of the estate of her
 grandfather Job Badger D. C. I therefore
 pray that James M. Norris may be ap-
 pointed guardian for her during her
 minority.
 Jan 10. 1839 James Whittle

S. Carolina } to O. Potts Esq. ordinary of the
 Edgefield District the prayer of your petitioner

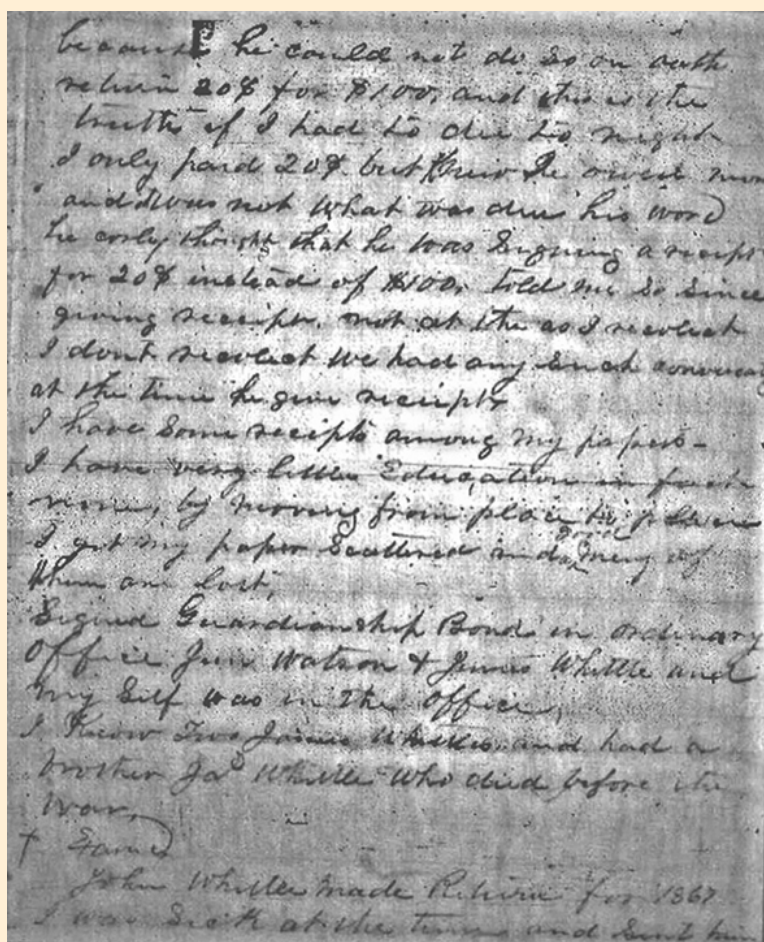
Respectfully shews that he is our fourteen
 years of age and is entrusted to a Distributive share
 of the estate of his grandfather Job Badger D. C.
 and prays that James M. Norris may be
 appointed guardian for him during his
 minority.
 Witness my hand this 7th of January 1839
 James Whittle

Courtesy Edgefield County Archives, Edgefield, SC

James C. Whittle has not been found on the 1840 census. This may explain the reason for the 1838 guardianship. By 1850 James is living alone in Edgefield County. His daughter, Mary Ann Whittle, is found living, close by, in the household of Henry Rucker along with 2 Norris boys, ages 11 and 12. Their father James M. Norris, first husband of Nancy Whittle, died in 1842.

Job Padgett's estate is finally settled in 1843 and Mary Ann receives her's and Sampson's share of Job Padgett's estate. Sampson apparently died before 1843. Mary Ann will live until 1918 married to James Daniel Miller. Their daughter Civilla Miller will marry into the James Whittle Sr. family.

James C. Whittle makes his final appearance in 1860 living in the household of his daughter Mary Ann and James Daniel Miller, he is listed as age 72. Interesting to note that the Miller's live between John and Mary Duncan, and Elizabeth McGraw who will be discussed later on. Proof that James C. and Ambrose were brothers is found in this statement made by Ambrose defending his handling of the guardianship of the McGraw children.



because he could not do so on death
return 20% for \$100, and this is the
truth if I had to die to night
I only paid 20% but know he owed more
and does not what was due his word
he only thought that he was signing a receipt
for 20% instead of \$100. told me so since
giving receipt. not at the as I recollect
I don't recollect we had any such account
at the time he gave receipt
I have some receipts among my papers -
I have very little Education in fact
none, by moving from place to place
I got my paper scattered in doing so
them are lost.
Signed Guardianship Bond in ordinary
Office John Watson & James Whittle and
my self was in the office
I know two James Whittles and had a
brother J. C. Whittle who died before the
war.
+ Signed
John Whittle made Return for 1867
I was sick at the time and sent him

Courtesy of The Church of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints, Salt Lake City, Utah

Note that Ambrose says he knows "two James Whittle's" in this statement written sometime in 1869 or 1870. Who is the second James? James Whittle, Sr. died in 1844, the only other James Whittle who would be a contemporary of him is James Whittle in Taylor County, GA. (See [Other Early Whittles with SC Roots](#)). Unfortunately Ambrose only says he knows them, he doesn't say he is related to them.

Three children have been verified from the marriage of James C. and Margaret Padgett. There is a good possibility of a 4th, if it can be proven that Elizabeth McGraw is their daughter. In the 1851 dispute filed by Nancy Whittle, she states there are 3 heirs. Sampson was not alive then and had no issue.

- + 61 F i [Nancy Whittle](#)
- 62 M ii Sampson P. Whittle was born about 1824 and died before 1843.
- + 63 F iii [Mary Ann Whittle](#)

7. [Ambrose Whittle](#) was born about 1792 and died 11 Oct 1882.

Our researcher, Ambery's Whittle, obtained the following information in 2014. From the Columbia Daily Register there were obituaries published on 17 Oct and 22 Oct, 1882. One of them said: "Mr. Ambrose Whittle died a few days since of the infirmities of age, having attained four score years and ten." That would push his date of birth back to 1792. Previously it had been guessed as 1796.

Ambrose Whittle is considered the patriarch of this line of Edgefield County Whittles. He remained in South Carolina his entire lifetime. Although it is assumed his father was Joseph, we have no proof. He may be the son of the second Joseph from 1790 or the second James from 1810. A lingering doubt was left for his researchers when the 1880 census taker recorded his father's birth place as Ireland.

Ambrose's great grandson, Sheriff Mark Gary Whittle, responded to one of WO Whittle's request for information in 1945. Although not everything he says is accurate, we can begin to see that his family didn't know the relationship between the Whittle families any better in 1945 than now. No evidence has been found that Ambrose had a brother John. There is no unaccounted for John Whittle on the 1850 Edgefield County census and there is no John Whittle, the right age, found in Texas in 1860. Oklahoma records are not available until after he would have been too old to show up. We assume for now that Mark was wrong, it was Ambrose's son John that moved to Texas.

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SHERIFF'S OFFICE
Richmond County
M. GARY WHITTLE, SHERIFF

AUGUSTA, GA.
October 26, 1945

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ATTORNEY AT LAW
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JUDGE
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Dear Mr. Whittle:

Your letter of September 28th addressed to James H. Whittle, Augusta, my brother, has been referred to me for reply.

Yes, we belong to the Edgefield County Whittles. There are three branches of Whittles from Edgefield County, not many of each family who claim little relationship to each other. My great grand-father was Ambrose Whittle and we are known as the Ambrose Whittle-set of Whittles. He settled in the Northern part of Edgefield County on Clouds Creek on the Batesburg Millen Highway in the early eighteen hundreds. He lived to be more than eighty years of age, and I am now sixty seven and he died when I was a baby.

He had a brother John Whittle, who in the late eighteen fifties moved to Texas with seven children and on into Oklahoma, and we have not heard from him nor his family since he moved into Oklahoma about sixty years ago.

Ambrose Whittle had two sons, Mark Whittle, my grand father, for whom I am named died about the beginning of the Civil War. He left four sons Ambrose Whittle, Ben Whittle, Joe Whittle and Mac Whittle.

Joe Whittle in his young man hood settled in Little Rock, Arkansas. He had a large family who still live in Little Rock and we have not heard from them.

There was an Emanuel Whittle, who lived to be up in his eighties, the second son of Ambrose. He was very rich in land and slaves and inherited from his father. He died in Augusta and was buried here.

There is another set of Whittles, who adjoin lands there, but I do not know how closely the patriots of the family were related. We did not claim any relation with them. Several of our Whittles married into that family. They were known as the Willis Whittle family. He had two sons. Malum Whittle, who was Sheriff in Edgefield County. His other son was named Green Whittle, who is a farmer.

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(is this James?)

There was another branch of Whittles who come from the Western part of the County known as the Major Jim Whittle set of Whittles. Among them were Tom Whittle, Tom Jr., Ira Whittle and his son Lee, who had a large family.

He had a Brother Malikia Whittle, who went to Texas around Tyler, Texas and he had no children.

After the death of Ambrose Whittle, the grand son of the first Ambrose his widow, Sarah went with her son to New Mexico. Her son was Chester Whittle and they are now living in New Mexico.

My father died in 1918 and was buried here. He knew much more of the Whittle family record. I do not know of any one of the branches of the Whittles, who is older than I am, or who knows more about the Whittle family than I do.

It is said that our ancestors came originally from Virginia, but I never knew at just what time. We have been told that the Whittle's name is Scotch and means restless.

Very truly yours,
M. Gary Whittle
M. Gary Whittle, Sheriff
C. Mark

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This Bond dated 15 Jan 1852, with Ambrose's signature provides additional evidence that James C. and Ambrose are related. As previously mentioned, Mary Ann, daughter of James C was living with Henry Rucker on the 1850 census. Manchester Padgett (born in 1822) is believed to be a son of Josiah Padgett and Sarah Watson. Manchester was married to Susan Corley. No reason for this bond is apparent.

ORIGINAL BOND FOR MONEY.
Printed for R. S. Roberts, Edgefield Co., S. C.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
Edgefield District.

Know all Men by these Presents, that we, *Ambrose Whittle*
Manchester Padgett & Henry Rucker

are held and firmly bound unto *John Rice*
Ordinary of the district aforesaid, in the full and just sum of *Twenty five hundred*

dollars good and lawful money of the said State, to be paid to the said *John Rice*
Ordinary as aforesaid, his successors in office, or assigns; to which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, for the whole and in the whole, jointly and severally firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our Seals, and dated *the 15th* day of *January*
1852 Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and *forty*
year of American Independence.

The Condition of the above obligation is such, that if the above bound *Ambrose Whittle his*
heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, shall and do well and truly pay, or cause to be paid to the above named *John Rice*
his successors in office, or assigns, the just and full sum of *Twenty five hundred*
Dollars

January, next 1853 on or before the *first day of*

then this obligation to be void and of no effect: otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and delivered
in the presence of
Robt. A. Rice *Ambrose Whittle*
Manchester Padgett
Henry Rucker

Courtesy Edgefield County Archives, Edgefield, SC

On 3 Jan 1855 Ambrose was appointed guardian of the estate of Joel McGraw for the benefit of his

minor children.

To His Honor the Ordinary of Edgefield District

The petition of Ambrose Whittle sheweth that Susan Sarah Jane John Ready & George Anna Mc Graw are minors under the age of choice. Entitled to a small personal & real estate and are without any guardian to take charge of their persons & estates.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that he may be appointed guardian of the persons & estates of the said on his giving bond with the necessary security

Jan'y 3^d 1855 Ambrose Whittle

I hereby consent that Ambrose Whittle may be appointed guardian of my minor children above named

Jan'y 3^d 1855 Elizabeth McGraw

Courtesy of The Church of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints, Salt Lake City, Utah

This affidavit dated 19 Aug 1869 would seem to connect Ambrose with James Whittle, however, James C. Whittle was deceased by this date, so this would be James M. Whittle, Jr. Elizabeth McGraw is found on the 1860 census with a son named J.R, age 11, living next door to Daniel Miller and Mary Ann Whittle (James C. Whittle, age 72 also lives there). Elizabeth is also found on the 1870 census with only a daughter, Amanda, still living at home. She lives next door to Ambrose C. Whittle. Ambrose (Senior) is ordered to court regarding the guardianship of John Ready McGraw and the estate of his father Joel McGraw.

State of South Carolina, }
 Edgefield District, }
 To Ambrose Whittle Guardian of Estate of John R. McGraw and James Whittle his Son
 THESE are to cite and admonish you the said Ambrose Whittle and James Whittle at the instance and request of John R. McGraw personally to be and appear before me, in the Court of Ordinary, to be held at Edgefield Court House, on Wednesday the Twenty-fifth day of August 1869 to shew cause, if any you can, why you should not make and render upon oath, a true and faithful account of your transaction upon said Estate. Hereof fail not, as you shall answer the contrary at your peril.
 Given under my hand and seal, this 25th day of August Anno Domini 1869 and of American Independence, the nineth year.

J. L. Turner
 Judge of Probate Court

Courtesy Edgefield County Archives, Edgefield, SC

Ambrose married Rebecca Duncan. She was born about 1793 and died after 1870. Elizabeth is most likely the sister of Nancy Duncan, wife of James M. Whittle, Jr., hence another reason why

Ambrose is always on the scene with James. The children of their marriage are presumed to be (partially verified by his grandson, Chesley Whittle, Jr.):

- + 71 M i [Stancil L. Whittle](#)
- + 72 F ii [Lydia Whittle](#)
- + 73 M iii [Mark Berry Whittle](#)
- + 74 M iv [John Berry Whittle](#)
- + 75 M v [Chesley Whittle](#)
- + 76 F vi [Elizabeth Whittle](#)
- + 77 M vii [Wesley Whittle](#)
- + 78 M viii [Emanuel W. Whittle](#)
- + 79 F ix [Mary Ann Francis Whittle](#)

8. [Lydia Whittle](#) was born in 1798 and died Sep 1881. She is buried at Springfield Methodist Church in Orangeburg County, SC.

Lydia Whittle married Gazeway Bowen (1794-1853). Gazeway was a neighbor of James Whittle, Sr. and William Whittle in the 1820 census. On the 1850 census, Gazeway, Lydia and 3 of their children lived in Lexington next door to Shealy and Bouknight families.

On the 1860 census, Lydia Bowen is listed in the household of Ambrose Whittle, her brother. Also living with Ambrose is a 24 year old female named L E Holstein, Lydia and Gazeway's daughter who married Wade Holstein. On the 1880 census, Lydia is living with her daughter Sarah Ann and her husband Ariel Able.

Gazeway and Lydia had the following children:

- 81 M i John W. L. Bowen - born in 1815 and died during the Civil War. He was in the 27th SC Infantry and wounded in Petersburg, VA. He married Lucretia Reynolds.
- 82 M ii Abner Claude Bowen - born in 1820 and died in 1879.
- 83 F iii Sarah Ann Elizabeth Bowen - born 4 Jan 1826 and died 8 Nov 1908. She married Ariel Ingram Able. Both are buried at Springfield Methodist Church, Orangeburg County, SC.
- 84 F iv Martha A. Bowen - born 18 Apr 1832 and died 10 Feb 1906. She married Elbert Gunter. He was a Captain in the 20th SC Infantry. Both are buried at John Gunter Mill Cemetery, Aiken, SC.
- 85 F v Laura Elizabeth Bowen - born about 1834. She married Wade Holstein who died before 1860.
- 86 M vi Jacob D. Bowen - born about 1836.

9. [Winnifred Whittle](#) was born c.1802 and died before 1880.

Both the Eidson and Padgett families connect Winnifred Whittle with Arthur Jefferson Padgett, son of Josiah Padgett. Little is known about Winnifred but there are 10 children attributed to her marriage. Her name represents some good evidence that she may have been named after her grandmother, Winney, wife of James Burris Whittle. It is also a reasonable assumption from the Padgett history that her father was Joseph Whittle.

She is named "Minnie" in the 1850 census, and lives with Arthur and 5 of their 10 children. In 1860 there is a Winford Padgett, female age 55 living next door to Ira Whittle (James Whittle, Sr. line). Winford is close enough in age to assume this is Winnifred.

Winnie Padgett, age 70 is on the 1870 census taking care of Mary Ann Padgett and 3 young children. This picture like many others in 1870 suggests a widow who lost her husband in the Civil War. Winnie does not appear on the 1880 census but there are 162 Padgett's in Edgefield County by then.

Winifred "Winnie" Whittle married Arthur Jefferson Padgett, Sr. about 1818 in Edgefield County, SC. Arthur was born in 1798 in Ridge Spring, Edgefield County, SC. He died on 6 Sep 1853 in Edgefield County, SC. He was buried in Maroney-Padgett, Cemetery, Edgefield County, SC.

They had the following children:

- 91 M i William Bluitt Padgett was born Mar 1819 and died on 12 Dec 1902 in Aiken County, SC.
- 92 M ii Infred Padgett was born in 1820.
- 93 M iii Emright R. Padgett was born 15 Jun 1827 and died on 5 Jul 1864.
- 94 M iv Arenton Padgett was born in 1835.
- 95 M v Emanuel Manley Padgett was born in 1836 and died in 1868 in Edgefield County.
- 96 F vi Tabitha Padgett was born in 1837 and died on 13 Feb 1895 in Raines County, Texas.
- 97 M vii Ananias Padgett was born in 1828 and died in 1870.
- 98 M viii Manfred A. Padgett was born in 1832 and died in Nov 1885.
- 99 F ix Mary Ann Padgett was born in 1840.
- 910 M xi Jefferson Padgett, Jr. was born about 1849.

Our thanks to Judy Duncan of Monetta, SC for providing this information about Arthur J. Padgett.

Lamentable Occurrence

The Edgefield Advertiser, Wednesday, the 5th, 1847

On Saturday last, the day of the Battalion Parade at Mount Willing in this District, a number of personal recontres took place in which many of those present were injured. During the progress of these affrays, Mr. Joseph Quattlebaum was struck on the head with a gun by Mr. Alford Padgett, and so severely wounded that he died at a late hour on Saturday night. Mr. Padgett has not been arrested.

Coroner's Jury with Monetta Folks - 1847 Miss Belle Williams had two typed copies of this report in her papers found in the South Caroliniana Library. Mt. Willing was one of four centers of commerce in South Carolina between the Revolution and the Civil War.

Moses Holston, along with Henry Sawyer, William Stevens, Nathaniel Burton, Jr., Wade Holston, R. H. Holston, George R. Sawyer and Benjamin Cato served on a Coroner's Jury April 26, 1847.

The Magistrate was Acting as Coroner in the inquisition upon the death of William L. Quattlebaum. The Coroner's Jury ruled that Juford and Arthur J. Padgett "feloniously killed and murdered" William L. Quattlebaum with a gun causing his death 8 – 9 hours later. Twelve men found Juford and Arthur guilty.

Moses Holston was the father of Elizabeth Holston Asbill; R. H. Holston was the brother of Elizabeth Holston Asbill. All three were members of Bethel Baptist Church.

Nathaniel Burton, Jr. was the father of the Monetta Burtons.

Wade Holston, CSA, Captain, was the brother of Moses Holston. Wade was a Deacon at Bethel Baptist Church in 1853. (on the Church roll).

George R. Sawyer (George Robertson Sawyer) 1817 – 1892 was the father of George Washington Sawyer and the great great grandfather of Allen Duncan.

Benjamin Cato Sr. was the great great grandfather of Allen Duncan; Benjamin was a member of Bethel Baptist Church.

Henry Sawyer, Henry Stanmore Sawyer 1790 – 1851, the 3 X great grandfather of Judith Dancy Duncan.

10. [George Whittle](#) was born between 1800 and 1810.

George Whittle makes only one appearance in Edgefield County. He is on the 1830 census, age 20 to 30 with a wife and 2 daughters under age 5. After 1830 he disappears from the scene. Some researchers have noted that the George Whittle found in Sevier County, Tennessee might be the same George; however, both of them appear on the 1830 census with very different family members.

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The South Carolina Whittle Families

Third Generation (continued)

The Children of James Whittle, Sr.

11. [William M. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, South Carolina about 1785 and died after 1870 in Butler County, Alabama.

William Whittle makes his first named appearance on a deed found in Edgefield Co. SC Deeds; Books 13 to 31 by Carol Wells.

Deed bk 30-p. 427 THOMAS DEEN, Planter, to WILLIAM WHITTLE, planter, Deed of Conveyance, 8 Dec 1808, \$100, 50 acres, being part of (number lost in binding) and half acres being part of land granted to (name lost in binding) Webb in 1791, lying on Clouds Creek, Spring Branch, and sd WHITTLE'S land.

Wit A HERON, ZACHARIAH MILLER. /s/ THOS DEEN.

Justice ELIJAH WATSON certifies relinquishment of dower rights by MARY DEEN wife of THOMAS DEEN, 1 Mar 180(year lost in binding);

/s/ MARY (M) DEEN.

Proven 1 Mar 1809 by ANDREW HERON; ELIJAH WATDON Q U.

Rec 4 Nov 1811.

On the 1810 census he is the only male in the household and is listed in the age 16 to 25 column. He has a wife and two daughters under age 10. In the same year he acquires additional property from Thomas Deen.

Deed bk 30-p. 428 THOMAS DEEN to WILLIAM WHITTLE, Deed of Conveyance, 9 Nov 1810, \$200, 200 acres, being part of land granted to JAMES WARREN, 500 acres in 1774, lying on West side of Clouds Creek, 125 acres being part of a tract granted to JAMES STATON in 1768 lying on west side of Clouds Creek, and 2 ½ acres being part of land granted to HENLY WEBB in 1791 lying on west side of Clouds Creek, 147 acres being part of land granted HENLY WEBB 1793, lands join each other. The 200 acres adj. Lands of RICHARD DUNCAN, MATT JONES, LISHEY DIE, JACOBS Branch, JAMES WHITTLE Sr and Charleston Road. Wit SAMUEL DEEN, ROBT GOWAN, WILLYS WHITTLE. /s/ THOMAS DEEN. Justice ELIJAH WATSON certifies relinquishment of dower rights by POLLY DEEN wife of THOMAS DEEN, 31 Dec 1810; /s/ POLLY (M) DEEN. Proven 31 Dec 1810 by ROBERT GOWAN. Rec 4 Nov 1811.

On the 1820 census William has two male children under 10, three females under 10, 1 female under 16, his wife and a female over age 45. By 1830 the count becomes 2 males under 5, 1 male under 10, 1 female under 5, 2 females under 10 and 2 females under 20. He and his wife are listed in the age 40 to 50 column. How many of this family stayed in SC is unknown.

Sometime after 1830 William Whittle, at the age of approximately 45, will move his family to Lowndes County Alabama. His younger brother Rueben is already there by the 1830 census. No record has been found as to the disposition of his property in South Carolina but by 1836 he is trading properties in Lowndes County.

Deed Book 2 (1834-37), p. 483-4. Wm Whittle and wife Sarah to Stephen Adams, land in T13 R14. 17 Feb 1836. Martin Lee, J.P. and Alfred Moore, J.P.

Deed Book 3 (1837-1840, p. 141. 12 Aug 1837. Wm Whittle and Sarah, his wife, to John Hawkins.

Deed Book 3 (1838-42), p. 384. Wm Whittle and Sarah, his wife, to Wm A.T. Dunklin. Exchange of land, on road leading from Greenville to Hayneville. 17 Sept 1841. Witn. Emsley Whittle, Ebron (?) Whittle.

Lowndes County was created by an act of the Alabama General Assembly on 20 Jan. 1830. It was formed from parts of Montgomery, Dallas, and Butler counties. Lowndes County is located in the south-central portion of the state, in the Black Belt. It encompasses 714 square miles. The county is named for South Carolina statesman William Lowndes. The area has a rich aboriginal history and was a center of plantation life in Alabama. The county seat is Hayneville. Other significant towns include White Hall, Letohatchee, Lowndesboro and Fort Deposit.

William seems to do well in Alabama. The 1850 slave list shows him owning 7 in Lowndes County. It is also interesting to note that his family lived in the [Mount Willing](#) district, a name they obviously brought with them, since that is the district they lived in in Old Edgefield County, SC.

William Whittle married Sarah Ferguson. She was born 27 Jan 1802 and died 10 Sept 1872. The children of their marriage are:

- 111 F i [Catherine Whittle](#)
- 112 F ii [Sophia Whittle](#)
- + 113 M iii [Ellison H. Whittle](#)
- 114 F iv [Tarrassy Whittle](#)
- + 115 M v [Emsley Whittle](#)
- 116 F vi [Elizabeth Whittle](#)
- + 117 F vii [Caroline Whittle](#)
- + 118 M viii [William M. Whittle, Jr.](#)

12. [Willis Whittle \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, South Carolina 5 Aug 1788 and died 13 Apr 1862.

Willis was a prosperous farmer who owned 19 slaves in 1860. He lived his entire life in Edgefield County. Willis has a son and a daughter at the time of the 1810 census.

Thanks to the W.O. Whittle papers we have some excellent verification of his wife and 8 of his 10 children This letter was send to WO in 1941 by Jennie Elizabeth Caughman, a daughter of Scratch Whittle. It is interesting to note that Jennie thought Joe M. Whittle might be related to WO since no one knew the relationship between the James, Sr. and Ambrose lines of Whittle. This letter verifies an important inter-marriage between the families, Joe M's dad Mack Whittle (grandson of Ambrose) married Mary Anna Whittle (granddaughter of James M. Whittle, Jr.).

Sunday July 6, 1891 /41
 W. O. WHITTLE PAPERS
 McCLUNG COLLECTION
 LAWSON MCGHEE LIBRARY
 Mrs. W. O. Whittle, Dear Sir
 I received your letter, and
 have been waiting to get
 the address of Mr. Joe Whittle
 of Saluda, S.C. But haven't been
 able to get it yet. I may before
 I mail this, I kinder think
 his family may become
 kin to your family, and
 we may be too, but I just
 don't know people very far
 back. my Dada Father's name
 was Willis Whittle and his
 mother was a Duncan her name
 was Elizabeth and I'm named
 for her, Jennie Elizabeth, my
 Dad had 4 Brothers, William,
 Amos, Burr, Alfred, & all I
 remember, one Sister Jennie

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 W. O. WHITTLE PAPERS
 McCLUNG COLLECTION
 LAWSON MCGHEE LIBRARY
 Fannie, and Catherine,
 Charity, Fannie married a
 Crook, Jennie married a
 Radia, also Catherine, Charity,
 a Schach, Joe Whittle had
 an uncle Coke Whittle that went
 to Tex. 50 or more years ago,
 Joe had an uncle John so
 I've heard, Joe has a Brother
 Elmo and Woot, Tillman and
 Wood, their Father was Mack
 Whittle, I had a cousin Sarah
 that married a Warren and did
 live in Alabama, and a cousin
 Resie Whittle lived in Fla. and
 a cousin Floyd in Ga. and
 some kin that went to Oklahoma
 cousin Minnie Whittle Boy.
 Joe had a second cousin Jimmie
 Whittle and Malikia.

Courtesy Calvin M. McClung Collection, Knox County Public Library, Knoxville, TN.

The following estate settlement records were found in the Edgefield County Equity microfilm rolls:

Roll#1226, WILLIS WHITTLE estate, \$14,000, Settled 1 Dec. 1866. Adm. Alfred Whittle, Simeon Crouch, now deceased.

Roll# 2137, Willis Whittle, Sr., dec. 13 Apr. 1862. Widow: Elizabeth; ch: Alford, Frances, wife of Simeon Crouch, Charity, wife of Michael DeLoache, Mahlon, Oratio, Willis, Jr., and Catherine, wife of Jacob Bodie. Grandch: Nathan Bodie in Ala., Frances Bodie m. Warren Smith, Elizabeth Bodie m. Phillip Cates in Ala., Capers Bodie, Marina and Hattie Bodie, minors in Ala. children of my predeceased daughter, Jane Whittle (d. 22 Oct. 1856), wife of Joseph Bodie, d. 1851; grandch: Thomas and Milledge Whittle, monors, children of my pre-dec son, Amos Whittle. Homeplace - 200 acres, bounded by Felix E. Bodie, James Whittle, Dr. Folk and Simeon Crouch.

Willis married Elizabeth Duncan who was born in 1789 and died in 1883. They began their family in 1809 and their last daughter Catherine was born in 1836. Their daughter Fannie had her first child before Scratch and Catherine were born. All of these children have been verified except for Mary who was not mentioned in his estate settlement:

- + 121 F i [Francis "Fannie" Whittle](#)
- + 122 F ii [Jane "Jennie" Whittle](#)
- + 123 M iii [Amos Whittle](#)
- 124 F iv [Charity Whittle](#)
- 125 F v Mary Whittle
- + 126 M vi [Alfred Whittle](#)
- + 127 M vii [Oratio "Burr" Whittle](#)
- + 128 M viii [Willis Whittle, Jr.](#)
- + 129 M ix [Mahlon A. "Scratch" Whittle](#)
- 120 F x [Catherine Whittle](#)

13. [James M. Whittle, Jr. \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, South Carolina about 1795 and died in Oct 1871.

As previously discussed in Generation 2, there are two James Whittles on the 1810 census, both have males in the household over age 45. The first James lives next door to Thomas and James Warren and has 2 males under 10, 2 males under 16, 1 male over 45, 2 females under 10, 1 female under 16, 1 female under 45 and one female over 45. The second one lives between William Whittle and Elijah Watson with Macajah Whittle close by. This James has 2 males under 10, 1 male under 26, 1 male under 45, 1 male over 45 but only 1 female is listed, she is under 26. Records of James Whittle, Jr.'s children show Edy Whittle as his first born in 1814. If James Jr. is one of the James in 1810, he should have no children. One of these James is clearly James Whittle, Sr., the other remains a mystery.

There are three James Whittles by 1820. The first one still lives next door to William Whittle as in 1810. James tells the census taker that he is James Whittle, Sr. His family count is generally consistent with what it should have been in 1820. The second James identifies himself as James Whittle, Jr. He has 2 males under 10 and 2 females under 10, so this is obviously a young family. There is little doubt that this is the son of James Sr. Our third James also has a young family and he is believed to be James C. the son of Joseph Whittle.

1850 is the first US census that lists family members by name. On that census we find James and Nancy and 4 children: Frances, age 17, Malachi, age 18, Emanuel, age 20 and an EM Washington, age 12. Who is this Washington boy?

James Whittle, Jr. was married twice. His first wife was Nancy Duncan, born about 1794 and died after 1860. Her father [Richard Duncan](#), age 98, is living with them on the 1860 census. His second wife was Rebecca Forrest. She was born about 1822 and died 6 Dec 1874. There is no record of any children from his second marriage. The children of his marriage to Nancy Duncan are:

- + 131 F i [Edea "Edy" Whittle](#)
- + 132 M ii [Reason Whittle](#)
- + 133 F iii [Clarisey Whittle](#)
- + 134 M iv [Wilson "Bill" Whittle](#)
- + 135 M v [William Floyd Whittle](#)
- + 136 M vi [Wesley Whittle](#)
- + 137 F vii [Nancy Emeline Whittle](#)
- 138 M viii [Emanuel M. Whittle](#)
- + 139 M ix [Malachi A. Whittle](#)
- 1310 F x [Francis S. Whittle](#)

The will of James Whittle verifies his wife Rebecca and all of his children except Emanuel, Francis and William Floyd.

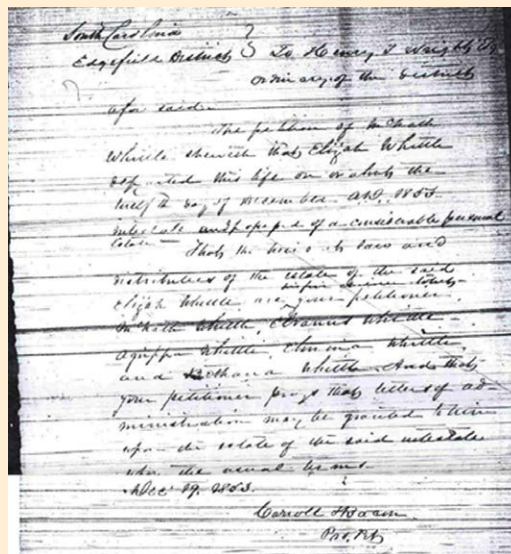
As indicated in his will, Milton Prater was obviously well thought of by James, Jr. Unfortunately Rebecca Whittle didn't seem to agree. See the court case of [Prater vs Whittle](#). See the PDF of [Prater vs Whittle](#).

14. [Elijah Whittle \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1794 and died there 12 Dec 1853.

William C Mitchel to Elijah Whittle, Deed, 21 May 1814, One hundred forty Dollars, [word lost in the binding]ty acres on waters of Clouds Creek of Saluda River adj lands of Job Padgett junior, Mores Creek, Samuel Deen. Wit Wm Whittle, Briant Obanon. /s/ Wm C Mitchell. Proven 21 May 1814 by Wm Whittle; Wm Hurtt JP. Rec 7 June 1814.

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under age 10 and no females except his wife. This is 8 years prior to any records we currently have of his own children. This census data is either incorrect or he has inherited the children of someone else. On the 1830 census he lists 1 male under 5, 1 under 10, 2 females under 10, 1 under 15 and 1 under 30 in addition to his wife. By 1840 we have 1 male under 5, 1 under 10, 1 under 15 and 1 under 30. For the female count we have a daughter under 10 and 1 under 15. In 1850 Elijah's occupation is listed as stonecutter and we have only 3 children living at home. Elijah died intestate in 1853 and we have his estate settlement listing his 5 children.



Courtesy of the South Carolina Department of Archives and History

<http://www.state.sc.us/scdah/homepage.htm>

Elijah Whittle married Nancy McGee (maiden name not proven). In 1860 and 1870 Nancy is living with her daughter Bethany. Nancy was born in 1794 and died, according to the Norris Township Mortality Schedule, in Feb 1880, age 86.

+ 141 M i [McNath Whittle](#)

Edwina Whittle - was born in Edgefield County about 1830. She was

142 F ii named in Elijah's estate settlement in 1853. We have no further information about her.

+ 143 F iii [Bethany Marthana Whittle](#)

+ 144 M iv [Agrippa Whittle](#)

+ 145 M v [Elvanus Whittle](#)

15. [Effie Whittle \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, South Carolina about 1796 and died after 1846.

Effie married Jacob Sartain (Certain or Sartin) who was born c.1773 and died c.1862. The Duncan family records refer to the 1850 census with index entries for Jacob Sartin in Tuscaloosa County, AL and Jacob Certain in Madison County, AL. There is no proof that either of them is the same Jacob Sartain. No record has been found of their children.

16. [Matilda Whittle \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, South Carolina about 1798 and died after 1844.

Matilda married John Story. Both of them probably died sometime between 1844 and the 1850 census as their two children are living with Matilda's sister Elizabeth and Russel Padgett in the

1850 census.

161 M i Wesley Story - born 1837.

162 F ii Martha Story - born 1839.

17. [Joseph Whittle \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, South Carolina about 1800 and died there 7 Jun 1845.

Joseph first appears on his own in the 1830 census with his wife, Sophia Reynolds, and 1 son under age 5. By 1840 they have 1 son under 5, 2 sons under 10, 1 daughter under 5 and 1 under 10. Joseph and his mother, Lucretia, were the administrators of James Whittle Sr.'s estate in 1844. In 1850, his wife Sophia is listed as head of household. Joseph's cause of death in 1845 at approximately age 45 is unknown. In this petition to the Edgefield District Court, Sophia recommends her brother, Wiley Reynolds, as administrator of the estate.

South Carolina
Edgefield Dist.
To John Hill Esq.
Ordinary of said Dist. this is to
certify to you that I appoint and
make known to you that I wish
my Brother Wiley Reynolds to admin-
ister on my said late husband's estate as
I am not capable to administer my
self given under my hand this
14th day June 1845
Sophia Whittle
Witness
Thomas Watson

Courtesy Edgefield County Archives, Edgefield, SC.

Initially Wiley works hard on the affairs of Joseph Whittle. He completes the property inventory and files a number of personal notes with the court; however, sometime before 1850 Wiley moves to Georgia without completing his accounting for the estate.

South Carolina } In Ordinary.
Edgefield Dist.
To John Hill Esquire Ordinary of the District of said
the said Petitioner of Sophia Whittle, respectfully
sheweth that Joseph Whittle, late husband of said Petitioner,
did intestate, leave your Petitioner and seven
children (one of said children has since died in fact
(intestate) entitled to distribution of his estate. That
administration of the said estate & debts of said
Joseph Whittle has been committed by the Ordinary
of this District to Wiley Reynolds, and that said
Wiley Reynolds has removed from this State to
Georgia without having accounted for his admin-
istration. That your Petitioner desires an ac-
count of said administration wherefore your Petitioner
prays that proper process and return may
be issued & made to cite said Administrator to this
Court for an account of said administration.
J. H. W.
Sophia Whittle
make

Courtesy Edgefield County Archives, Edgefield, SC.

We have a number of documents pertaining to the estate of Joseph Whittle and there are many familiar names found; Ezekiel and Manchester Padgett, John and Elbert Warren, Amos and Tilman Watson, Moses and Wilson Holston. It is interesting to note that Ambrose Whittle appears in many of them as well. Ambrose is one of the appraisers as he was for James Whittle, Sr. Ambrose is also a suretor for Wiley Reynolds performance. Unfortunately none of these documents prove the relationship between the families.

Sophia Reynolds, daughter of Thomas Reynolds and Nancy Harrison, was born in 1805 and died in 1874. The children of her marriage to Joseph Whittle are:

- + 171 F i [Julia Whittle](#)
- 172 M ii [Aaron "Arn" Whittle](#)
- + 173 M iii [Elly Whittle](#)
- + 174 M iv [Eldred Whittle](#)
- 175 F v [Permelia Whittle](#)
- + 176 M vi [Hezekiah Whittle](#)

On 2 Sep 1856, William Stevens was appointed guardian of Eldred, Permelia and Hezekiah. He is the husband of Nancy Reynolds who was a sister of Sophia.

Both the 1860 and 1870 Edgefield census list [Milton Whittle](#), born in 1853, living with Sophia. Milton was born too late to be a son of Joseph and Sophia Whittle. So far we have not been able to identify his parents and he is not named in the probate of Sophia's estate.

Sophia died 7 Nov 1874. This petition filed by her son, Hezekiah, verifies her children and many of her grandchildren.

State of South Carolina
County of Edgefield.

Do the Hon. & Learned
Judge of Probate of said
County & State:

The Petition of Hezekiah
Whittle respectfully shews
to the Court:

That his mother Mrs. Sophia
Whittle late of the County of
Edgefield and said state de-
parted this life on the seventh day
of November 1874 seized and pos-
sessed at the time of her death of
a small personal estate and some
realty. That she left surviving her
as her heir at law and next of kin,
her children Hezekiah Whittle and
Permelia Whittle. Hannah a grand
daughter aged 4 or 5 years and the
only child of Julia Nease a pre-
deceased daughter of Mrs. Whittle
a son residing in Alabama.
Also the three children of Eldred
Whittle. Ruben Whittle and one not then

resident of Alabama; and also
also the children of Eldred
Whittle a predeceased son of
Mrs. Whittle Elizabeth Whittle
and Walter Whittle and one name
not known. Said grand children
are all minors.

That your petitioner
prays that letters of administra-
tion on said estate may be
granted to him on the terms
usual in such cases. And
your petitioner will ever pray.

18. [John Whittle \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, South Carolina about 1801 and died there after 1870.

John's first wife is reported to be Nancy (unknown). Presumably she died before the 1850 census as no female his age is found. On the 1860 census, John seems to have married again, her name is Elizabeth (reported by one researcher as Elizabeth Brown) and she is 20 years younger. There are two additional Whittle boys on the 1860 census.

We have not found a will or the probate of John's estate, however, the children of his first marriage, based on the 1850 census are:

- + 181 M i [Hartwell Eugene Whittle](#)
- + 182 F ii Matilda Whittle - born about 1825. We have no further records.
- + 183 F iii Elizabeth Whittle - born about 1827. We have not further records.
- + 184 M iv [John Wesley Whittle](#)
- + 185 M v [William Manchester Whittle](#)
- + 186 M vi [Meady Whittle](#)
- + 187 F vii [Sarah Phoebe Whittle](#)
- + 188 M viii [Seaborn Whittle](#)
- + 189 F ix [Edney Whittle](#)

The children of John's second marriage based on 1860 census data are:

- + 1810 M x [James Pinckney Whittle](#)
- + 1811 M xi [Rufus Whittle](#)

19. [Reuben Whittle \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, South Carolina about 1802 and died in 1836 in Sumter or Lowndes County, Alabama.

Reuben and his brother Maston are probably named after Major Reuben Maston who was a well known patriot from the Greenville District of SC around 1770. This land grant in Edgefield County was awarded to him in 1821.

One hundred and seventy four acres more or less being part of 530 Acres granted to Arther Watson on the fifth day of March 1792 Situate in the said District (Edgefield) On the branches of Dry Creek waters of Saluda and the said One hundred and seventy Four acres is to have such bounds as follows beginning at a pine the grant corner on Land formerly held by John Kirkland and Runs S 22 E (in binding: 3)o chains to a Stake X3 thence S 87 E 18 chains to a Post Oak X3 thence N 80 E 32 Chains 50 Links to a pine X3 on land of said Grant. Thence North 16 W 37 Chains 80 links to a Stake X3 on Luke Smiths land thence S 75 W With the grant 52 Chains to the beginning." Comments: Ingram Nunn and G. Nunn witnessed the deed. Jane (X) Cronick, wife of John (X) Cronick, relinquished dower rights. The 530-acre tract was surveyed for Arthur Watson 18 Nov 1791. John Cronich purchased this property from Richmond Watson 29 Jan 1818. Reuben Whittle sold the property to John Lark 15 Feb 1823.

He appears to be the first one in the family to leave Old Edgefield for Lowndes County. He is on the 1820 census in SC and then appears in 1830 as "Robin" Whittle in AL. He is shown in the age

30 to 40 column with one son under age 5, 1 daughter under 5 and 1 under 10. His wife is in the age 20 to 30 column. There are two land grants on file in Alabama, both dated 1832 from the Cahaba land office. He receives a total of 160 acres.

His wife, Nancy, is head of household by 1840. We have proof that Reuben died because his children are the beneficiaries in the 1844 probate of James Whittle, Sr.'s estate. There is a record of a 2nd marriage between Nancy and Handy Blackmon dated 7 Feb, 1841. It appears that Nancy and her daughter both married Blackmons.

Reuben married Nancy (not proven but likely Arrington) and they had the following children:

- 191 M i West Whittle was born in either Edgefield County, SC or Lowndes County, AL about 1825. No other information has been found.
- 192 F ii Marina Whittle - was born in Lowndes County, AL about 1827. She married Ransom Blackmon, 4 Jan, 1842. They are listed in the 1850 census living in Sumter County with their 3 children. Marina died before 1860. Ransom remarried and moved to Orange, Mississippi.
- 193 F iii Melinda Whittle - was born in Lowndes County, AL about 1830. She married Richard C. Allen on 3 Jan 1850. They are listed in the 1850 census living in Sumter County with no children.
- 194 F iv Amanda Whittle - was born in Lowndes County, AL about 1836. On the 1850 census, Amanda is living with her mother and step father, Handy Blackmon.

Thanks to researcher, Brenda Laney, it appears that Nancy Blackmon, age 70, is living in MS with Rebecca, age 25, and Manda, age 14 for the 1870 census. Rebecca is likely her daughter by Handy Blackmon.

20. [Mary "Polly" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, South Carolina about 1810 and died after 1860.

Mary married Richard Duncan most likely a son of Richard Duncan, age 98, on the 1860 census. If this is true, three of Richard Sr's children married Whittles. Richard is not found on the 1850 census, Mary Duncan is listed as head of household. Mrs. M Duncan is also head of household on the 1860 census.

The children of Richard Duncan and Mary "Polly" Whittle are:

- 204 F i Lucretia Duncan was born in 1836.
- 205 M ii John Duncan was born in 1838.
- 206 F iii Mary Ann Duncan was born in 1842.
- 207 M iv William C. Duncan was born in 1843.

21. [Maston Whittle \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, South Carolina about 1816 and probably died 19 Apr 1865 at Sabine Pass, Texas.

Maston and his brother Reuben are likely named after Major Reuben Maston who was a well known patriot from the Greenville District of SC around 1770. Maston is not found on any South Carolina census data, but he is apparently in Edgefield in 1829 when he receives his wife's share of her father's estate.

He first appears on the 1840 census in Lowndes County, Alabama. Land grants issued in 1842, 1850 and 1851 totaling 160 acres are found in the Montgomery land office. The last one was a military land grant in Section 30, tract 11, R. 17 (6541), Barbour County, Alabama in December 1851. On the 1840 census he and his wife are in the age 20 to 30 column.

Maston and his rather large family are on the 1850 Alabama census, but by 1860 his wife Elizabeth is living alone. Left to wonder is the Maston Whittle that shows up on the 1860 census in Cuba, Colorado County, Texas. He says he was born in SC and is age 34. There is also a record of Mastan Whittle in the 13th Regiment, Texas Volunteers. If this is the same Maston, then his story can be found in the records at the Nesbitt Memorial Library in Columbus, TX.

Whittle, Mastan (private) farmer, age 34 in 1860; enlisted in Company D, 21st Texas Infantry, on September 3, 1862 at Houston; hospitalized at Beaumont, June 28, 1863; died in hospital at Sabine Pass, April 19, 1865.

Confederate.		
W	13	Texas.
Maston Whittle		
... (3d) Co. A, 13 Reg't Texas Infantry.*		
Appears on		
Company Return		
of the organization named above,		
for the month of <u>April</u> , 1865.		
Commissioned officers present and absent:		
Remarks:		
Alterations since last return among the enlisted men:		
Date	<u>April 19</u> , 1865.	
Place	<u>Sabine Pass</u>	
Remarks	<u>Died in camp</u>	
Enlisted men on Extra or Daily Duty:		
Absent enlisted men accounted for:		
<p>*This company was formerly Company D, Griffin's Battalion Texas Infantry.</p> <p>The organization originally consisted of twelve companies, A to M, which were organized on various dates from September 17, 1861, to January 4, 1862. A and D were artillery companies; B, C, H and I cavalry, and the other companies were infantry. Companies F, K and M were transferred to the 15th Regiment Texas Infantry by S. O. No. 434, Hdqrs. Dept. of Texas, dated April 2, 1862, and became Companies D, F and H, respectively, of that organization. Companies B, D, H and I were separated from this command by S. O. No. 434, Hdqrs. Dept. of Texas, dated April 2, 1862, and formed the 12th (Brown's) Battalion Texas Cavalry. Letters of the remaining companies were changed and new companies of cavalry and artillery added from time to time until the organization consisted of ten companies, A to K, in March, 1862. Cavalry Companies A, G, I and E were transferred to the 12th (Brown's) Battalion Texas Cavalry, and formed the 25th (Brown's) Regiment Texas Cavalry, by S. O. No. 386, Hdqrs. Dept. of Tex., N. Mex. and Ariz., dated November 2, 1862. Artillery Company H was permanently detached from this organization and subsequently became the 16th Texas Field Battery. New Companies G and H were organized February 5th and June 8, 1864, respectively. Companies D and F, Griffin's Battalion Texas Infantry and Company B, 11th Spaight's Battalion Texas Infantry were transferred to this organization by S. O. No. 62, Hdqrs. Dept. of Tex., N. Mex. and Ariz., dated November 11, 1864, and became Companies A, K and I, respectively.</p> <p>The organization was known at various times as the 4th Regiment Texas Volunteers, Bates' Regiment Texas Volunteers, Bates' Battalion Texas Volunteers, the 13th Regiment Texas Infantry and the Brazoria Coast Regiment.</p>		
W. M. Whittle		
(656)	Cephan.	

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Maston Whittle married Elizabeth Padgett. Elizabeth's parents were Henry and Penelope Padgett and she was born about 1815. Verification of their marriage is found in Henry Padgett's estate settlement. Maston and Elizabeth had the following children:

- Charity Whittle - was born about 1835. She is on the 1880 census along with 4 of her sisters living with her brother Wade in Barbour County, AL. On the 1900 census Charity is living with 4 of her sisters in Lone Star, Cherokee County, TX. She is listed as head of household and apparently never married.
- 211 F i

- 212 M ii John Whittle - was born about 1836. No other information has been found.
- 213 M iii Reuben Whittle - was born about 1837. No other information has been found.
- 214 F iv Jennie Whittle - was born about 1838. She is listed on the 1880 census along with 4 of her sisters living with her brother Wade in Barbour County, AL. On the 1900 census Jennie is living with 4 of her sisters in Lone Star, Cherokee County, TX. She apparently never married.
- 215 F v Emaline Whittle - was born about 1840. She is listed on the 1880 census along with 4 of her sisters living with her brother Wade in Barbour County, AL. On the 1900 census Emma is living with 4 of her sisters in Lone Star, Cherokee County, TX. She apparently never married.
- 216 F vi Edna Whittle - was born about 1843. On the 1900 census Edna is living with 4 of her sisters in Lone Star, Cherokee County, TX. She apparently never married.
- 217 F vii Sarah "Siley" Whittle - was born about 1844. She is listed on the 1880 census along with 4 of her sisters living with her brother Wade in Barbour County, AL. No other information has been found.
- 218 F viii Lucinda Whittle - was born about 1845. She is listed on the 1880 census along with 4 of her sisters living with her brother Wade in Barbour County, AL. On the 1900 census Lou is living with 4 of her sisters in Lone Star, Cherokee County, TX. She apparently never married.
- 219 M ix [Wade Hampton Whittle](#)
- 2110 F x Julia Whittle - was born about 1848 and probably died before 1860. No other information is available.
- 2111 F xi [Elizabeth R. Whittle](#)

After Maston moved to Texas, he remarried Martha Shepherd, who was age 15 in the 1860 census. They had one daughter named Sarah Elizabeth, born 25 Apr 1862. She married Peter Neil Wallace. Sarah died 5 Jan 1928 in Austin, TX. On 3 Mar 2011, I received the following email from Janet Carr, a descendant of Maston through his daughter Sarah Elizabeth.

Years ago, my husband and I went to Colorado County. We found Maston Whittle was on the tax rolls from 1861 to 1864, but not on the 1865 roll. This is probably because he died in April 1865. Maston Whittle owned 492 acres of land in the William Bell Grant, abstract 64, four horses and 8 cattle. He enlisted in Co. D, Griffin's Battalion, Texas Infantry between 1861 and January 1862. This unit was known at various times as Bates Battalion or Regiment, Texas Volunteers, Brazoria Coast Regiment and 13th Regiment Texas Infantry. Confederate Military History, Vol. XI, p.102, briefly describes a battle involving Griffins Battalion (including Co. D.) at Sabine Pass Light House on April 1863. Military records indicate that Maston Whittle died on April 19, 1865 in the General Hospital at Sabine Pass. This was after hostilities has ceased. My husband, John, and I went to Sabine Pass

to visit the area but there is not much there except the lighthouse.

In the 1880 U.S. Census, Caldwell Co., Texas, W. H. Mobley is listed (age 52) with his wife Marthy Mobley (age 37) and children Lemuel Mobley, age 4, Lizzie Mobley, 10 mos. and Sarah Whittle, age 18. This is the man who married Martha Shepherd Whittle after Maston Whittle died during the Civil War.

The 1920 U.S. Census, Austin, Travis Co., Texas, ward 4, lists the widow, Martha Mobley, age 73, and George Pool, age 13, a grandson. George Pool is the informant on her death certificate. I have a certified death certificate for Mrs. Martha Mobley who died September 15, 1926 (born October 11, 1846), but the informant did not know who her father or mother were. The informant was G. W. Pool. I am trying to connect with Mr. Pool's family and will let you know what I find out.

The 1920 U.S. census, Austin, Travis Co., Texas lists Sarah E. Wallace, age 57, and Mattie Pearl Wallace, age 26. Miss Wallace is my husband's maiden aunt, one of the four daughters of Sarah E. Wallace. I have a certified copy of a death certificate for Sarah Elizabeth Wallace (born on April 25, 1862, died May 13, 1928) showing that her father was Masterson Whittle and her mother was Martha Shepherd. The informant was her daughter, Mrs. A. S. Douglas. Mrs. Douglas is a sister to my husband's mother. Aunt Maude (Mrs. Douglas) was a lovely woman and very reliable.

I also have a death certificate for Dessie Mary King (nee Wallace) who died January 5, 1972 (born May 15, 1896). This is my husband's mother. Her father was Peter Neil Wallace and her mother was Sarah Elizabeth Whittle. Mr. Wallace died during a hurricane in Galveston Co., Texas. They had four daughters Hilda, Maude, Mattie Pearl and Dessie Mary Wallace. They lived in Manvel, Texas, Brazoria Co., Texas for a while and moved on to Austin, Texas where their grandmother, Martha (Whittle) Mobley ran a boarding house housing students near the University of Texas campus. This is where Hilda Wallace met and married Conrad P. Engleking, an attorney of law and Dessie Mary Wallace met and married Samuel Brown Carr, also an attorney of law and District Judge. My husband, John D. Carr, also a Lawyer, is one of their 5 children.

Janet Carr, Houston, TX

22. [Elizabeth Whittle \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, South Carolina June 1819 and died in 1902.

Elizabeth married Rupert "Russel" Padgett who was born in 1825 and died before 1900. Russel's parents were Mary Polly Eidson and Samuel Padgett. Elizabeth's mother Lucretia is listed as age 70 on the 1850 census and is living with them. After Russel died Elizabeth lived with her son Jefferson Davis.

Their children are as follows:

Henry H. Padgett was born in 1839 and died in 1915. He was in the

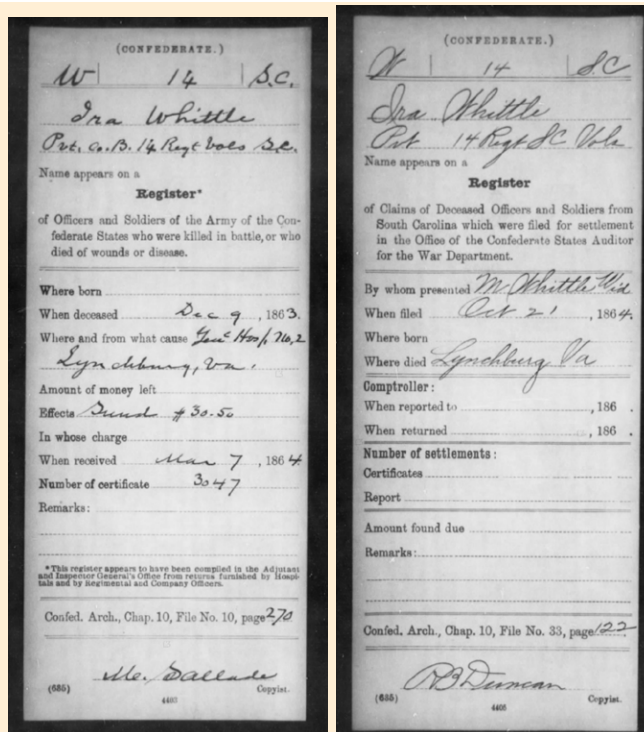
- 221 M i 14th SC Infantry, was wounded at Deep Bottom and discharged at Appomatox in 1865.
- 222 M ii Lucinda Padgett was born in 1842.
- 223 F iii Polly Padgett was born in 1845.
- Rupert "Russel" Padgett, Jr. was born in 1847 and died in 1915.
- 224 M iv Russel was in the 6th SC Infantry under Captain Cromley and also in the 7th SC Infantry, Company E. He was discharged at Greensboro, NC in April, 1865. Russel married into the Eidson family.
- 225 F v Elizabeth Padgett was born in 1850 and was still living with her parents in the 1880 census.
- 226 M vi James T. Padgett was born in 1851 and died in Hillsboro, TX after 1910.
- 227 F vii Lucretia Padgett, named after her grandmother, was born in 1854. She married into the Eidson family.
- 228 F viii Ella Padgett was born in 1857.
- 229 M ix Eldon Padgett was born in 1858.
- 2210 M x Jefferson Davis Padgett was born in 1860 and died in 1915.

23. [Ira Cromwell Whittle \(Burris, James Sr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, South Carolina about 1819 and died 10 Dec 1863 in the Confederate General Hospital #2 at Lynchburg, Virginia.

Ira appears on th 1840 census with his wife and first daughter. By 1850 there are 5 children and in 1860 there are 7.

Ira is found on the roster of the 14th South Carolina Infantry, Company B at age 38 to 40. He is listed as having died of disease. On the "South Carolina Dead in CSA Service Report" there is an Ira Whittle listed as having died of wounds. He was buried in Magnolia Cemetery, Charleston, SC. These records from the National Archives are conflicting on both Ira's name and Company but there are no other records for "Isaiah" in the 14th SC.

(Confederate.)		(CONFEDERATE.)	
14	S. C.	14	S. C.
Ira Whittle		Isaiah Whittle	
Capt., Co. E, 14 Reg't South Carolina Inf.		Capt., Co. D, 14 S.C.	
Appears on		Appears on a	
Company Muster Roll		Report of Sick and Wounded	
of the organization named above,		in	
for July & Aug., 1863.		General Hospital No. 2,	
Enlisted: March 20, 1862.		at	
When		Lynchburg, Va.,	
Where		for the month of Dec., 1863.	
By whom Capt. West		Discharges on Surgeon's Certificate and Deaths:	
Period War		Disease	
Last paid: May, Webb		Date of discharge	
By whom		from service, 1863	
To what time Aug 31, 1863.		Date of death Dec 10, 1863	
Present or absent Absent		Remarks:	
Remarks: Wounded & at hospital.			
Book mark:		Book mark:	
J. P. Bennett		A. P. Baker	
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Ira married Mary "Polly" J. McGee. She was born in 1820 and died after 1880. Their children are:

- 231 F i Elizabeth Whittle - was born about 1840. She is still living with her widowed mother on the 1870 census. In 1880 Elizabeth, Mary, Mattie and their mother Polly are living with her brother Lee. No other information has been found.
- 232 M ii [William Malachi Whittle](#)
- 233 F iii Georgianna Whittle - was born in 1844 and is not found on the 1860 census.
- 234 F iv Jane Whittle - was born about 1846. She is still living at home in 1870. We have no reliable information after that.
- + 235 M v [James Wesley Whittle](#)
- 236 F vi Mary Whittle - was born in 1853 and died 17 Feb 1918. She is living with her brother Lee in 1880. Mary is buried next to her brother Malachi at West Creek Church in Batesburg, SC. Her death certificate says she was single.
- + 237 M vii [Levi David "Lee" Whittle](#)
- + 238 F viii [Martha "Mattie" Whittle](#)

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The South Carolina Whittle Families

Third Generation (continued)

The Children of Reverend John Whittle

There is very little information to support any contact between the Georgia Whittles and their cousins in South Carolina; however, there are a lot of similar children's names such as Ambrose, James, Seaborn, etc. used by both families. This might suggest that Rev John did have some contact with his suspected brother Joseph.

24. [Sarah Whittle \(Burris, John\)](#) was born 6 Aug 1792 in Edgefield County, SC and died in 1855 in Thomas County, GA.

Sarah married William B. Barwick II. He was born 30 Aug 1795 and died 6 July 1855. William was the executor of John Whittle's estate in 1836. On the 1850 census, Sarah's mother, Winney Whittle is living with the Barwick's and is listed as age 85, born in Virginia.

The following biographical information was provided on Ancestry.com by Susan Barwick Elliott in Feb 2000. It does help verify the whereabouts of John Whittle after he left South Carolina.

William B Barwick was born August 30, 1795 in Darlington District, SC to William B Barwick and Elizabeth Phillips. He married Sarah Whittle born August 06, 1792 in Darlington Dist, SC, died Abt. 1855 in what is now Brooks County. Sarah was the daughter of John and Winnifred Whittle. William and Sarah were among the first settlers in the wilderness now known as Barwick, GA located on the lines dividing Thomas and Brook Cos, thus the town being named Barwick for them.

After leaving SC, William moved into Washington Co, GA with some of his brothers. There he served in the GA militia 1814-1815, Few's Regiment - Captain Edwards's Co, Washington Co. He was discharged at Burke Co, GA. There are records which show that on May 17, 1827 William Barwick won the Land Lottery of Georgia.. Captains Dist - Currys No 127 Dist 2 Troup Co, GA. William and Sarah made their move to what was then Thomas Co later to become Brooks Co and raised their seven children. William was murdered in Thomasville. The following is the account taken from "History of Thomas County, GA."

KILLING AT A HANGING

On July 6, 1855, Walsh, a slave belonging to Major E R Young was being hung in Thomasville. During the excitement Augustus C Swain got into an altercation with Mr. William Barwick and killed him by stabbing, Green Johnson having come in for discussion as assisting in the killing. Swain was placed in jail but before trial escaped by means of a key made by a gunsmith, living near old McDonald. At Montgomery, John Swain who was accompanying his brother whom he resembled was arrested but was released as soon as he demonstrated that he didn't fit Gus Swain's description. The two brothers located in TX and several mornings thereafter were accosted by Gen. T E Blackshear who moved to TX because he thought Thomas Co was overcrowded. This was hint enough that the fugitives were not far enough from home. They moved and "Gus" became sheriff of his county but was afterwards killed by Indians. In 1898 John

Swain visited Thomasville and discussed fully with Col A T MacIntyre and Judge Hansell, the only two acquaintances he could find, the brothers experiences.

Note: Researcher, Brenda Laney, found information from the 1860 census that shows Sarah Whittle Barwick living with her son Redden Barwick, so it appears that she died sometime after 1860.

25. [Ambrose Whittle \(Burris, John\)](#) was born 20 June 1794 most likely in Washington County, Georgia and died 20 July 1856 in Coffee County, Alabama.

Most of the information published about Ambrose Whittle on this website has been obtained from Robert Lamar Whittle. Lamar has been a generous contributor on Genealogy.com and we have received numerous emails from him about his family research which has continued for the past 20 years.

Ambrose was in the cavalry during the War of 1812. He was the postmaster in Poplar Head (now Dothan) AL. He owned 400 acres of land in Coffee County. On the 1850 census, Ambrose said he was born in Georgia. In 1815, he married Ruth Dortch, born 1797 in North Carolina, according to the 1850 census. Ambrose is buried in the old Dothan Cemetery in downtown Dothan.

Ambrose and Ruth had the following children:

- 251 F i Winniford S. Whittle - born 15 July 1816 in Washington County, GA. We have no further information.
- 252 F ii Samantha Jane Whittle - born 1 May 1819 in Brooks County, GA and died there on 7 Jun 1896. It is reported that she was the 3rd wife of Nickolas Moses Reddick in 1842. Their son Peter Whittle Reddick was killed at Jekyll Island while serving in Company G of the 26th GA Infantry.
- 253 F iii Sara J. Whittle - born 22 Dec 1820 in Brooks County, GA. We have no further information.
- + 254 M iv [Auguston Freeman Whittle](#)
- + 255 M v [John "Jack" Paul Whittle](#)
- 256 F vi Lucy "Quincy" Ann Whittle - born 4 Oct 1826 and died about 1852. It is reported that she married Travis Zaccheus Hildreth, however on the 1850 census Quincy still lives in her father's household in Coffee County, AL.
- + 257 M vii [Quintillian "Quin" Durke Whittle](#)
- 258 F viii Rebecca E. Whittle - born 1 Feb 1831 and died after 1860, Dooly County, GA. Rebecca E. Brown is living with Ambrose on the 1850 census and apparently has a daughter Ruth. On the 1860 census, Rebecca is living with her brother James G. with her daughter Ruth.
- + 259 M ix [James Gideon Whittle](#)
- 2510 F x Elizabeth E. Whittle - born 1 Jan 1835 in GA. We have no further information.
- 2511 M xi [Ambrose William Whittle](#)
- 2512 F xii Mary Francis Whittle - born 3 Jan 1840 in Dooly County, GA and died 16 Feb 1907 in Henry County, Alabama. She married John C.

Hardwick, M.D.

William Wilkins Whittle - born about 1843 in Dooly County, GA.

2513 M xiii We have no confirmed records but he may have died in the Civil War. There is a William W. Whittle found in the Georgia Conscripts.

26. [Burrell Whittle \(Burris, John\)](#) was born 26 Jan 1796 most likely in Washington County, GA and died after 1860 probably in Gadsden County, Florida.

There is very little confirmed information about Burrell. He first appears on the 1820 census in Washington County, GA. For the next 20 years he is in Houston County, GA. He may have had as many as 4 sons and 8 daughters based on the 1840 census. Lamar Whittle references 2 wives named Alice Brown and Samantha Mashburn. Sometime before 1860 Burrell moved to Gadsden County, Florida. On the 1860 census he is living in the household of Mary Mann.

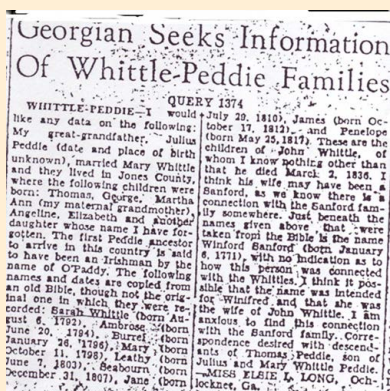
The children of Burrell Whittle and Alice Brown or Samantha Mashburn (not proven) are:

- 261 F i Jane Whittle - born about 1820. She married John L. Manning, 2 Aug 1840 in Houston County, Georgia.
 - 262 F ii Elizabeth Whittle - born about 1825. She married N. P. Mercer, 28 Sep 1845 in Houston County, Georgia.
 - + 263 M iii [Ambrose Daniel Whittle](#)
 - + 264 M iv [Cinchen \(or Kinchen\) G. Whittle](#)
 - 265 M v [James B. Whittle](#)
 - + 266 M vi [John N. Whittle](#)
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27. [Mary Whittle \(Burris, John\)](#) was born 11 Oct 1798 in Washington County, GA and died after 1860 in Brooks County, GA.

Lamar Whittle reported that Mary married Julius C. Peddie (Petty), a miller by trade. On the 1860 census, Mary's mother, Winnifred Whittle age 100, is living with them in Brooks County, GA. Winnifred said she was born in Virginia on the 1850 census, but in 1860 she says North Carolina.

The following query was posted by Miss Elsie Long on 26 June, 1932. It verifies Rev. John's children from family Bible records but raises the doubt about the connection to the Sanford family.



Courtesy of Hearst's Sunday American Newspaper, Atlanta, GA.

28. [Aletha Elizabeth Whittle \(Burris, John\)](#) was born 6 June 1803 in Washington County, GA and died 9 Sept 1844 in Stewart County, Georgia.

Lamar Whittle reported that Aletha married Thomas Dixon, born about 1802, died about 1872.

29. [Seaborn Whittle \(Burris, John\)](#) was born 31 Dec 1807 in Washington County, GA and died after 1860 in Jackson County, Florida.

On the 1850 census, Seaborn is living in Pulaski County, GA. Lamar Whittle reported that he married Elizabeth S. Conner on 8 Aug 1847. Elizabeth is recorded as age 25 in 1850, so it is not possible that Catherine and Thomas are her children. On the 1860 census, Seaborn is living with Elizabeth and a 15 year old boy named Robert Conner. The following children are living in the 1850 household:

- 291 F i Catherine Whittle - born about 1832.
- 292 M ii Thomas Whittle - born about 1842. No further records have been found.
- 293 F iii Augustin Whittle - born about 1843. No further records have been found.
- 294 F iv Sarah Winifred Whittle - born 27 Dec 1844 in Washington County, GA and died 16 May 1918 in Holmes County, FL. She married John Newton Underwood.
- 295 M v Robert Whittle - born in 1844 in Washington County, GA, most likely the twin brother of Sarah. No further information has been found.

31. [James Whittle \(Burris, John\)](#) was born 6 Oct 1812 and died 12 Sep 1892 in Chattahoochie County, Georgia (Verified from tombstone at Camp Hill Cemetery, Tallapoosa, AL).

Robert Lamar Whittle posted this information about James on [genealogy.com](#).

"James Whittle, who married Harriett Renfroe on 1 August 1835, was the son of the Rev. John Whittle who settled in Washington County, GA around 1790, Harriett Renfroe was the sister of James M. Renfroe, a Senator in the Georgia legislature from Chattahoochie County, Ga. They lived in Marion and Muscogee Counties . After her death, James married Sarah King and they lived in Stewart County until death."

On the 1880 census the enumerator recorded South Carolina as the birthplace of his father and Virginia for his mother. This census enumerator was quite fond of using ditto marks, so it's very good evidence that Rev John was in fact born in SC. It is also interesting to note that a Mike Whittle lives next door to James. They are only 3 years different in age. Mike is listed as born in Georgia.

Harriett Renfroe was born 18 Jun 1814 and died Sep 1850. James and Harriett's children are:

- 311 F i Elizabeth Whittle - was born about 1834. We have no further records.
- + 312 M ii [John S. Whittle](#)
 Sarah E. Whittle - was born about 1838. She married Warren Battle.
 From the Gospel Messenger, July 1887 we have the following obituary written by T. W. Stallings.

 "Elder Warren L. Battle died at his home in Lowndes County Georgia Dec. 21, 1886 age 64. He first married Miss Lizzie Cottle of Schley County Georgia and they had 5 children, three living and 2 deceased.

He married second the daughter of Deacon James Whittle of Chattahoochee County Georgia by whom he had 3 living children. He
 313 F iii joined the Phillippi Church in Schley County and was baptized by Elder John Richard Respass. Ordained Deacon in the summer of 1871. He moved to Geneva Georgia in the spring of 1872 and joined Upatioie Church. Moved to Orange County Florida in 1876 and joined Fellowship Church, Mt. Enon Assoc. of which ordained him to preach in Sept. 1881. He died sitting up in a large rocking chair into which his wife had just helped him. he leaned back on a pillow and asked her to sit near him so he could feel her touch him all the time and in a few minutes he died."

+ 314 M iv [Samuel Madison Whittle](#)

+ 315 M v [James Jackson Whittle](#)

32. [Penelope "Penima" Whittle \(Burris, John\)](#) was born 25 May 1817 in Georgia and died after 1880 in Smith County, TX.

Lamar Whittle reported that Penelope married Benjamin H. Cane on 13 June 1833 and they resided in Macon County, GA. The following information was published on Ancestry.com by Leanna Veazey in June, 2005. It can be verified based on both the 1870 and 1880 census.

"My name is Leanna from the great state of Arkansas. I am researching Penelope "Penima" Whittle d/o John and Winifred Sanford Whittle. Penima was born 25 May 1817 in Georgia. She married first, Benjamin Cane/Cain on 13 Jun 1833 in Washington Co., GA and second, Samuel White abt 1850/51 in Macon Co., GA. Penima and Benjamin had children John B., Elizabeth and Mary J. Penima and Samuel had children Sarah, Charles and Munroe. Penima died in Smith County Texas where she and Samuel had migrated with her daughter Elizabeth and son-in-law Nimrod Busby sometime between 1860 and 1870."

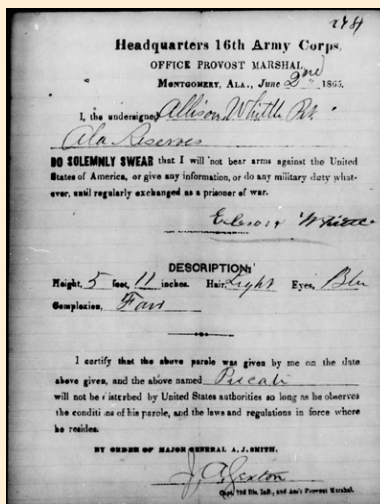
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He married Elizabeth Margaret Jones on 10 Mar 1844. Elizabeth was born 26 Aug 1826 and died 17 Apr 1901. Their children as documented from the 1850 through 1880 census as well as his probate in 1892 are:

- James M. Whittle was born in 1846 and probably died before 1870.
- 1131 M i There is a J. M. Whittle on the 1880 census in McLennan County, TX, born in 1849. He says he was born in AL and his parents in SC.
- + 1132 M ii [William Holloway Whittle](#)
- Josephus Whittle was born in 1848 and may have died before 1860.
- 1133 M iii One report on Ancestry.com however, says that West's nickname was Josephus.
- + 1134 M iv [West M. Whittle](#)
- 1135 F v Mary E. Whittle was born in 1852. She married William P. Rodes.
- 1136 F vi Sarah Jane "Sallie" Whittle was born in 1854 and died in 1922. She married William L. Favor, Jr..
- + 1137 M vii [Albert C. \(or Y.\) Whittle](#)
- + 1138 M viii [Jesse Robert Whittle](#)
- 1139 F ix Caroline R. "Carrie" Whittle was born in 1859 and died before 1892. She married John S. Noble.
- Malissa E. Whittle was born in 1861 and died before 1892. She
- 11310 F x apparently married a Bargainer. On the 1880 census she is living with Ellison and her two daughters, Nancy and Eliza.
- 11311 F xi M. Ella Whittle was born in 1863. She married Dan Lafayette Sullivan.
- 11312 F xii Emma Whittle was born in 1865. She apparently married a Noble as did her sister Caroline.
- + 11313 M xiii [John Ellison Whittle](#)
- 11314 F xiv Bama Whittle was born in 1873. She apparently also married a Noble.
- Walter W. Whittle was born Dec 1879. On the 1900 census, he is
- 11315 M xv living with his brother, John Elly and mother Eliza. No other

information has been found.

This probate verifies most of his children, although the use of initials makes it difficult to sort out the Noble's. If there are any researchers that can help us out, it would be appreciated.

Lowndes Co AL Record of Petition, No. 3 page 177 State of Alabama
Lowndes County Probate Court

To the Hon A.E. CAFFEE, Judge of Probate in said county, your petitioner W H WHITTLE, administrator of the Estate of ELLISON WHITTLE dec'd, respectfully represents unto your honor that the following lands belongs to said decedents estate and lies in an distinct and ____ body from the lands Known as the Homestead of descendent to wit: Thirty five acres more or less in the SW 4 of the NE 4 in section 28, township 13 and Range 14, situated near [Mt. Willing](#) in said Lowndes County: that said named above lands can not be utilized or used to advantage being unclear and altogether in the woods and can not be equitably divided among the heirs of said decedent, that said heirs are as follows to wit: Petitioner over 21 years of age, WM WHITTLE, J.R. WHITTLE, J.E. WHITTLE, MRS S.J. FAVOR wife of WM FAVOR, MRS M.E. (this could be a C) SULLIVAN, MRS M.E.RODES wife of W.P. RODES, MRS U.A. NOBLE, wife of W.T. NOBLE, all of full age and residents of this County except J.E. WHITTLE who lives in Butler County Alabama & W.M. WHITTLE who lives in Hill County Texas; and VANDER WHITTLE, PET WHITTLE & MARTHA WHITTLE children of A.Y. WHITTLE dec'd, each under 14 years old & live in this county in the custody of their mother ALICE WILLIAMS, ELIZA COKER and NANCY COKER children of M.E. BARGAINER, a dec'd daughter of E WHITTLE dec'd each under 21 & under 14 years of age & living in this county, WILLIE NOBLE child, of about 8 years of age, of U.M. NOBLE a dec'd daughter of said decedent living in the custody of W.T. NOBLE in this county, JEROME NOBLE and DAISY NOBLE children of C._ NOBLE a deceased daughter of said decedent living in this county in the custody of WM FAVORS, their uncle each under 14 years of age; wherefore petitioner prays your Honor for a decree authorizing him to sell said land for division among those entitled and for necessary preliminary orders and proceedings as to your Honor may seem proper to accomplish this end, and is in duty bound ____.

Sworn to and subscribed this 1st day of Dec 1892
W.H. WHITTLE
A.E. CAFFEE, Judge of Probate

The following Lowndes County land records have been found for Ellison:

Deed Book C-7, p. 141. Dan H. and Caroline B. Jones, his wife, to Elison Whittle. 13 Dec 1852. Witn. A.G. Conner, Freeman Miles. T13, R14.

Deed Book F-10, p. 89-90. Edwin D. Snellgrove and Rachel H., his wife, to Ellison Whittle. 21 Sept 1866.

Deed Book H-12. p.735. D.C. Pearman to Ellison Whittle (Oct 1871 or 1872). Witn. Emsley Whittle, J.M. Gafford.

114. [Tarrassy Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1820. Date of death is unknown.

Tarrassy is found on the 1850 census living in her father's household with her husband John Hawkins, age 38. Lowndes County marriage records list the date as 13 Jan 1835. They had no children.

115. [Emsley Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1820 and died in Butler County, Alabama on 25 May 1886.

Emsley, age 30, is on the 1850 census living in Lowndes County with his wife Nancy Levinia Harrison. Nancy was born 3 Dec 1820 and died 25 Jan 1895. Emsley and Nancy are buried at Moriah Baptist Cemetery, Butler County, AL. Their children from the 1850 through 1880 census are:

- 1151 F i Rebecca E. Whittle was born in 1838 and died before 1886. She married Nathan Body on 23 Nov 1858. They had one son Joseph C. Body.
- 1152 M ii Jonathan Whittle was born in 1840. He is listed on the roster of the 1st Regiment, Alabama Infantry and may have died during the war. It is interesting to note however, that there is a John Whittle living in St Mary, Louisiana, born 1840 in Alabama, on both the 1870 and 1880 census. This John Whittle served in both the 13th and 15 Louisiana Infantry. Could they be the same?
- 1153 F iii Barbara L. Whittle was born in 1842 and died in 1860.
- 1154 F iv Nancy E. Whittle was born in 1844 and died before 1886. She married a Lockwood. They had one daughter named Florence.
- + 1155 M v [Eldridge Emsley Whittle](#)
- 1156 F vi Mary Ellen Whittle was born in 1848.
- 1157 M vii William H.H. Whittle was born in 1849 and died 13 Sep 1870. He is buried in Moriah Baptist Cemetery, Butler, AL.
- 1158 F viii R. June Whittle was born in 1851 and married J.D. Hartley.
- 1159 F ix Martha E. Whittle was born in 1853 and married Joseph Hartley.
- 11510 F x Mary Elizabeth Whittle was born in 1855. She married Robert Bush, 14 Aug 1875 (from information received from John Bush 25 Jul 2007).
- 11511 M xi Jesse J. Whittle was born in 1856 and likely died before 1886. There are 2 Jesse Whittle's on the 1880 census that are about the right age, but we have no records to identify them.
- 11512 M xii N. Joseph Whittle was born in 1858 and probably died before 1886. We have no further records.

We do not have a copy of Emsley's will but we do have his wife Nancy's petition for probate which verifies some of their daughters. No sons are mentioned, all 5 of them must have died before 1886.

Butler County

To the Hon. J.L.Powell, Judge of said Court:

Your petitioner Nancy L. Whittle, respectfully represents unto your Honor, that the late Emsley Whittle was an inhabitant of this place and of Butler County at the time of his death, and departed this life on the 25th day of May A.D. 1886, leaving a last will and testament duly signed and published by him, and attested by R.G.W. Martin and G.H Martin both of whom are now and were at the time of said attestation resident citizens of Butler County, Ala, in which will your petitioner is named as the sole legatee, which said will is here with produced to your Honor and proof awarded for Probate and record in this Court. Your petitioner further shows unto your Honor that she is the widow and legatee of the said Emsley Whittle, deceased, and that Joseph C Body, only son and child of R.E. Body, who was the daughter of said decedent, and that said Joseph Body resides in Merrellton, Calhoun County, Ala, and is over the age of twenty-one years and of sound mind. That Florence Dees is a married woman of sound mind and the wife of Robert Dees, and both under the age of twenty-one years and each reside in Butler County Alabama, and that said Florence Dees is the granddaughter of decedent, being the only child of Nancy E. Lockwood who was the daughter of the decedent. That R.J. Hartley, wife of J.D. Hartley, a married woman of sound mind, and she and her husband are each over the age of twenty one years and reside in Butler County, Ala, that said R.J. Hartley is the daughter of said decedent. That Martha E. Hartley is the daughter of said decedent, anf the wife of Joseph Hartley, & both are over the age of twenty-one years old sound mind and each reside in Butler County Ala. That Mary E. Bush is the daughter and the wife of Robert Bush, and both are over the age of twenty-one years of sound mind and each reside in Butler County Ala, and petitioner alleges that the above named parties are the next of kin to said decedent. Wherefore your petitioner prays that a day be set for hearing this petition, that due notice thereof as required by law be given to the next of kin of said decedent and that such other proceedings orders and decrees may be had and made in the premise as may be requisite and proper to effect the due Probate and recording of said will according to law.

Sworn to before me

The 14th day of July 1886 Nancy L. Whittle

J.L. Powell

Judge of Probate

The following Lowndes County land records have been found for Emsley:

Deed Record D, p. 603. 28 Oct 1858. Samuel W. and Susan A. Meriweather, his wife, to Emsley Whittle, for \$1.00, all our claim at law and in equity. T12 R15. Thos. Ballard, J.P.

116. [Elizabeth Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1825. Date of death is unknown.

Elizabeth married William Hawkins, Jr.. On the 1850 census they apparently have twin daughters named Margaret and Claudia. After 1850 it is difficult to identify them because their are numerous William and Elizabeth Hawkins in Alabama. In the Alabama Marriage Collection there is a record in 1844 of the marriage of William Hawkins and Elizabeth Adams. This might suggest that it was

her second marriage.

117. [Caroline Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1830. Date of death is unknown.

From the Alabama Marriage Collection on Ancestry.com, we find Caroline marrying Augustus Pearce on 14 Mar 1845. They remained in Lowndes and Butler County, AL during their lifetime. Their children from the 1850 through 1880 census are:

- 1171 M i James Pearce was born in 1846.
- 1172 F ii Mary Elizabeth Pearce was born in 1849.
- 1173 F iii Ellen Pearce was born in 1856.
- 1174 F iv Louisa Pearce was born in 1859.
- 1175 F v Sally Pearce was born in 1860.
- 1176 M vi Joseph Pearce was born in 1866.

118. [William M. Whittle, Jr. \(Burris, James Sr., William\)](#) was born in Lowndes County, AL about 1838 and probably died in Butler County, AL before 1870.

The Alabama Marriage Collection lists Martha Ann Middleton Norman as the first wife of William, Jr. William can be found on the 1860 census with his second wife Jane Demaris McDonald and their first child, Edie. He must have died before 1870 because Demaris and her children are living with William Whittle, Sr. who is listed as age 80.

- 1181 F i Edith Catherine "Edie" Whittle was born in 1851. She married James Thomas Craft, 15 Jun 1875.
- 1182 F v Elizabeth Whittle was born in 1860.
- 1183 M iii Henry Whittle was born in 1860. There is a Henry Whittle, born 1861 in Alabama, on the 1880 census in Franklin County, TX. Good bet this is the same Henry but there is no trace of him after 1880.
- 1184 F iv Mollie Lou Whittle was born in 1864. Lou married Thomas W. Holder.
- 1185 M v James Whittle was born in 1867. We have found no records for him.

The following Lowndes County deed information has been found for William, Jr. It would appear to verify that he was married to Martha Middleton Norman before he married Damans.

Deed Book C-7, p. 529. Wm Whittle Jr. and wife Martha M., to Albert G. Conner. 6 Dec 1852. North of Greenville-Hayneville Road. A.M. Simmons, J.P.

121. [Francis "Fannie" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 5 May 1809 and died there in 1884.

Fannie married Simeon Crouch on 27 Dec 1827. Simeon was born 13 Jan 1806 and died 28 Oct 1866. They stayed in Edgefield County and Simeon was apparently well thought of by his father-in-law. His signature appears on several documents also signed by Willis. Fannie and Simeon had 13 of their own children and they adopted her sister Jennie's kids after she and her husband both

died.

- 1211 M i John R. Crouch was born in 1832 and died in 1866. He was in the 14th SC Infantry, Company B. He was wounded at Chancellorsville and died from his wounds.
- 1212 M ii William "Bill" Crouch was born in 1834 and died in 1911. He was in the 14th SC Infantry, Company B. He was wounded at 2nd Manassas and Deep Bottom but survived the war.
- 1213 M iii Willis Crouch
- 1214 M iv Jacob W. Crouch was in the 14th SC Infantry, Company B.
- 1215 F v Jane P. Crouch
- 1216 M vi James E. Crouch
- 1217 F vii Emma F. Crouch
- 1218 M viii Milledge Crouch
- 1219 M ix Simeon E. Crouch
- 12110 M x Wade A. Crouch
- 12111 F xi Laura M. Crouch

122. [Jane "Jennie" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1812 and died there 22 Oct 1856.

Jennie married Joseph Bodie. Joseph was born in 1806 and died in 1851. In the 1850 census they are living next door to Willis in "The District". In the 1860 census we find Caroline and Hannah living with Jennie's sister Fannie Crouch. We have not found any information as to the parents cause of death, however, we do have some interesting information about their children.

- 1221 M i Allen Bodie
- 1222 M ii Nathan Bodie was in the 14th SC Infantry, Company B, but lived in Alabama.
- 1223 F iii Elizabeth Bodie married Phillip Cates and moved to Texas in 1880.
- 1224 M iv Capers Whittle Bodie, 42nd AL Infantry, killed at Vicksburg.
- 1225 F v Frances Bodie married Warren K. Smith and apparently remained in Edgefield County.
- 1226 F vi Caroline Bodie
- 1227 F vii Henrietta "Hannah" Bodie

Capers Bodie and his sister Elizabeth moved to Monroe County, Alabama sometime before 1860. Capers is listed as a 1st Lt. in the 42nd AL Infantry and he was killed at Vicksburg. His estate was settled in 1864 in Edgefield County.

State of South Carolina
Edgefield District }
The humble petition of Har-
vey H. Smith respectfully sheweth that
Edward Bodie separated the life on or
about June 22, 1862, seized at
possession of a small personal Estate
valued at about one thousand dollars
that he left as next of kin and intestate
ties of his Estate his brother Nathan Bodie
who resided in the State of Alabama, and
four sisters, viz: Frances the wife of
Peterson; Caroline Bodie, Hannah
Bodie and Elizabeth Cates, the wife Philip
Cates. Your Petitioner request that
administration may be granted to
him upon his complying with the usual
requirements of the Law, and he will ever
pray &c.
January 11th 1869

Harvey H. Smith

Courtesy of The Family History Center, Mormon Church - Salt Lake City, Utah

(Confederate)

B | 42 | Ala.

Le. W. Bodie

2^d Co., Co. L., 42 Reg't Alabama Infantry.

Appears on a

Roster

of the 42d Regiment Alabama Volunteers,
Baker's Brigade, Liddell's Division, Army of
the Gulf; organized May 16, 1862, and mus-
tered into Confederate service May 16, 1862,
for 3 years or the War.

Roster dated March, 1862.

Date of entry or muster }
into Confederate service, } 1862

Date of rank, and whether }
by appointment, election }
or promotion, } April 2, 1863.

Date and cause of vacancy, } Killed May 27, 1863.

Name of successor James D. Cooper

Remarks:

not signed.

Book mark :

(645) J. Henderson Copied.

Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/12568760>

Elizabeth Bodie married Phillip Cates and in 1858 they moved to Monroe County, Alabama. Phil was in the 36th AL Infantry. In 1880 Phil and Elizabeth Cates moved to Rains County, Texas. Our chief Texas Whittle researcher, Glen Collier provided this picture of Phil and his wife Elizabeth.



Courtesy of Confederate Veteran Magazine, January-February, 1988

123. [Amos Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1815 and died there about 1855.

Amos married Mary Ann McGraw on 3 Jan 1838. She was the daughter of Amos McGraw, a lawyer in Edgefield County. One of Amos McGraw's other daughters married Reason Whittle, son of James M. Whittle, Jr. Amos died at age 40, cause of death is unknown. On 10 Nov 1857, 2 or 3 years later, his estate was finally settled.

South Carolina } In the Court of
Edgefield District. } Ordinary
To/ Wm F. Durison Esq, Attorney
of Edgefield District.
The Humble petition of
Mary Whittle, widow of Amos Whittle
do, Sheweth, That her said husband
Amos, died two or three years ago,
intestate, leaving four partitioners
and his children, Thomas Whittle, and
Milledge Whittle, ^{and a daughter who has since died} as his only heirs -
She further sheweth that he left
a tract of land, containing about
One hundred & two acres, more or less,
worth about nine hundred Dollars,
situate in the District and State
aforesaid, and bounded by lands of
Wiley Bodie, Simon Acorn, Joseph
Bodie Dr., and Felix Bodie, and
Mills Whittle. She further Shews
That it is to the interest of all the
heirs, that the said land shall be
parted and divided among them.
She therefore prays your
Honor, That the proper proceedings
and orders be taken and had for such
partition & division. And your Petitioner will so
pray &c. 10 Nov 1857. Mary Ann McGraw

Courtesy Edgefield County Archives, Edgefield, SC

The petition lists Mary and her two sons Thomas, Milledge and a deceased daughter, presumed to be Martha or Henrietta. Based on the 1850 census Amos and Mary Ann had the following children:

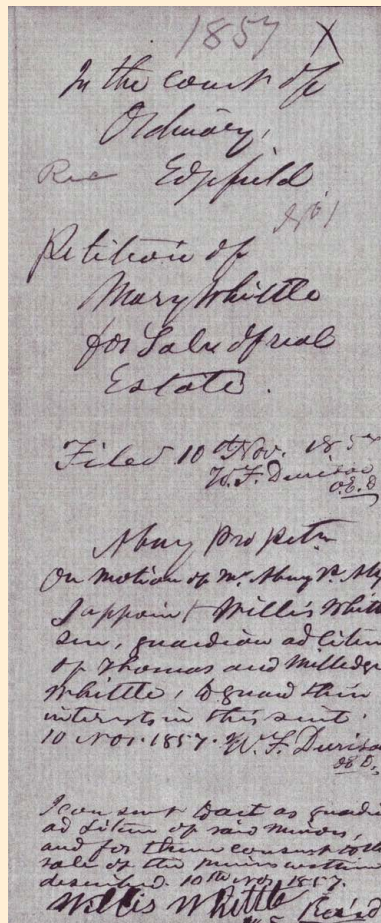
- 1231 F i Martha Whittle - born 1838, died before 1857.
- + 1232 M ii [Thomas Whittle](#)

- Joel Milledge Whittle was born in 1844 and died 19 Aug 1863 in a Union prison camp at Chester, PA. Joel was in the 14th SC Infantry, Company B along with his brother Tom. He was wounded at Harpers Ferry and presumed captured. Joel is buried at Magnolia Cemetery in Charleston, SC.
- 1233 M iii
1234 F iv

Henrietta Whittle - born 1849, died before 1857.

After Amos died, Mary Ann married George Whitcher. Proof of this is found in the will of Amos McGraw in 1866. From the book Saluda Ancestors, Volume 1, Mary Ann McGraw was born 15 Dec 1815 and died 30 Jul 1885. The tombstone was erected by her son Thomas Whittle.

On the same date as the "Petition for Sale of Real Estate" Willis Whittle was appointed guardian of Thomas and Milledge.



Courtesy Edgefield County Archives, Edgefield, SC

Milledge and Thomas are not listed in the household of Willis Whittle on the 1860 census. More than likely both were already in the service of the 14th SC Infantry.

124. [Charity Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1817 and died about 1868.

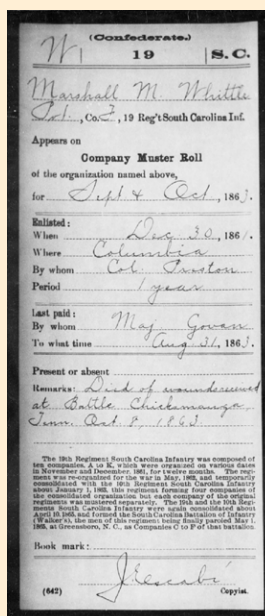
Based on the letter written by [Jennie Elizabeth Caughman](#) in 1941, Charity married a Deloach. On the 1860 census he is listed as M A DeLoach and in Willis Whittle's will as Michael. No children are listed. At the present time, this is all of the verified information we have.

126. [Alfred Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1818 and died in Butler County, Alabama after 1880.

Alfred is listed as Alford on the 1860 Edgefield census. It appears that he moved to Butler County, AL some time before 1870. On both the 1870 and 1880 census he says he was born in SC and the children listed are the approximate ages they should be. Alfred married Lucinda "Linda" McGraw, according to their daughter Isabell's death certificate. The census information provides this list of their children but we have no independent verification.

- 1261 F i Sarah Whittle was born in 1842. She married Larkin W. Warren and they lived next door to Alfred on the 1870 census.

Marshall M. Whittle was born in 1845 and died 8 Oct 1863 in the Battle of Chickamauga.



- 1262 M ii

Courtesy of the National Archives and
<https://www.fold3.com/image/83534763>

- 1263 F iii Bidoma Whittle was born in 1847.
 1264 F iv Priscilla Whittle was born in 1850.
 1265 F v Isabella Whittle was born in 1856. She married John Reedy Warren.
 1266 F vi Joanna Whittle was born in 1859.
 1267 M vii Zeddy Watkins Whittle was born in 1862 and died in 1884.
 + 1268 M viii [Edward "Eddie" Whittle](#)

127. [Oratio "Burr" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1822 and died there about 1865.

Burr first appears on the 1850 census with 3 children, living next door to his cousin Wilson Whittle. Oratio Whittle appears on the roster of the Infantry Regiment, Hampton Legion, South Carolina, Company B, and likely died from war related causes. Burr married Edwina Whittle, daughter of Elijah Whittle. This is based on Valentine's death certificate in 1915.

On the 1860 census only Katherine and Valentine are listed. Flora Whittle has been reported by some researchers but has not been verified.

Valentine Jemarion Whittle was born about 1845 and died 22 Mar

- 1271 M i 1915. He apparently never married. He is found on both the 1900 and 1910 census living with his cousin Susan Busby, daughter of Willis Jr., and said he was single.
- 1272 F ii Katherine Whittle was born in 1846 and died in 1910. She married [Jacob M. Whittle](#).
- 1273 M iii Russell Whittle was born about 1847. No records have been found after the 1850 census.
- 1274 F iv Flora A. Whittle was born in 1852 and died in 1889.

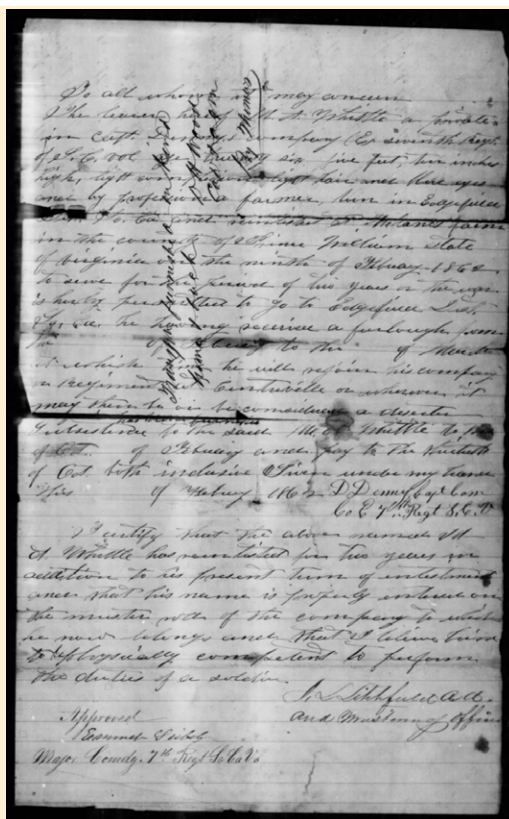
128. [Willis Whittle, Jr. \(Burris, James Sr., Willis\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1826 and died there about 1900.

Willis is listed as "discharged" on the roster of the 2nd SC Artillery, Company K. On the 1870 census he is married to Nancy unknown. It has been reported that Corrie and Mattie Busby, who are listed as grand daughters on the 1880 census, are the children of Susan Whittle Busby.

- + 1281 F i [Daniel S. Whittle](#)
- 1282 M ii Susan Whittle was born in 1849. She married a Busby. He apparently died before 1880 because their 2 daughters are living with Willis, Jr. on the 1880 census. On the 1900 census Susan is living with her cousin Valentine Whittle.
- 1283 M iii Amanda "Anna" Whittle was born in 1852 and died in 1904. She married Henry Lucian Duffie, born 1852 and died in 1934. The had 7 children.
- + 1284 F iv [Green Berry Whittle](#)

129. [Mahlon A. "Scratch" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 23 Aug 1832 and died in the newly established Saluda County on 7 Feb 1901.

Scratch enlisted as a private in Company E and ended the war a 2nd Lt. in Company M of the 7th SC Infantry under Capt. A.P. Bouknight. He obtained the highest rank of any of the Edgefield County Whittle soldiers and many of the other Whittles in SC Regiments were his nephews, not cousins.



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<p><i>W. A. Whittle</i> 3 Lt., Co. M, 7 Reg't South Carolina Inf.</p> <p>Appears on Company Muster Roll of the organization named above, for <i>May 2 June</i>, 1862.</p> <p>Enlisted: <i>Feb 11</i>, 1862. Where: <i>Pa.</i> By whom: <i>Capt. Grogan</i> Period: <i>Mar.</i> Last paid: <i>Capt. Smith</i> By whom: <i>Capt. Smith</i> To what time: <i>Aug 1</i>, 1862. Present or absent: <i>Absent</i> Remarks: <i>Wounded June 18, 1862, sent to Gen. Hospital.</i></p> <p>Book mark: <i>L. M. Brown</i> (442) <i>Copy.</i></p>		<p><i>W. A. Whittle</i> 2 Lt., Co. M, 7 Reg't South Carolina Inf.</p> <p>Appears on a Roster of the Seventh Regiment of South Carolina Volunteers, Kershaw's Brigade, McLaw's Division, First Corps, Army Northern Virginia. Organized May 13, 1862; mustered into Confederate service May 13, 1862, for two years.</p> <p>Roster dated <i>Oct Dec 7, 1862</i>. <i>Dec 17</i>, 1862.</p> <p>Date of entry or muster: <i>1862</i> Into State service: <i>1862</i> Date of entry or muster: <i>1862</i> Into Confederate service: <i>1862</i> Date of rank, and whether by appointment, election or promotion: <i>May 27, 1862</i> Date and cause of vacancy: <i>1862</i> Name of successor: Remarks:</p> <p>The 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry was mustered into State service for twelve months April 15, 1861, with nine companies. It was transferred to the Confederate service May 13, 1862, and was re-organized with twelve companies. A to M, May 11, 1862, companies A and B were transferred to the 1st South Carolina Infantry.</p> <p>About April 1, 1861, the 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry was organized, while the 1st South Carolina Infantry was transferred to the Confederate service May 13, 1862, and was re-organized with twelve companies. A to M, May 11, 1862, companies A and B were transferred to the 1st South Carolina Infantry.</p> <p>Book mark: <i>J. B. Brown</i> (443) <i>Copy.</i></p>	

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7th Regiment, South Carolina Infantry

7th Infantry Regiment was assembled at Columbia, South Carolina, during the spring of 1861 and moved to Virginia in June. After fighting in Bonham's Brigade at First Manassas, the unit served under Generals Kershaw, Kennedy, and Conner. It participated in the campaigns of the Army of Northern Virginia from the Seven Days' Battles to Gettysburg, then accompanied Longstreet to Georgia. The 7th was active at Chickamauga and Knoxville, returned to Virginia, and saw action at The Wilderness, Spotsylvania, and Cold Harbor. It continued the fight in the Shenandoah Valley with Early and ended the war in North Carolina.

This regiment totalled 581 officers and men in April, 1862 and sustained 82 casualties at Savage Station and 40 at Malvern Hill. During the Maryland Campaign, there were 13 killed and 100 wounded of 466 at Maryland Heights and 23 killed and 117 wounded of the 268 at Sharpsburg. It lost 4 killed, 57 wounded, and 61 missing at Fredericksburg, twenty-seven percent of the 408 engaged at Gettysburg, and 2 killed and 12 wounded at Bentonville.


On March 23, 1865, there were 222 present for duty, and it surrendered in April. The field officers were Colonels D. Wyatt Aiken and Thomas G. Bacon; Lieutenant Colonels Elbert Bland, Robert A. Fair, Elijah J. Goggans, and Emmet Seibels; and Majors John S. Hard and William C. White.

On the roster of enlisted soldiers we find Daniel, Eldred, F., MA, Malachi, Wesley, William and Wilson Whittle.

Scratch survived the war and was the first sheriff of Saluda County. This biography by his nephew Bill Crouch gives us some insight about his personality.

**SHERIFFS OF
SALUDA COUNTY
PAST AND PRESENT**

B. W. Crouch, who towers above Sheriff M. A. Whittle in this photograph of Saluda County's first officers, says that Mr. Whittle was "a big-hearted man and allowed himself to be greatly imposed on, especially in time of court..."



In the past the Historical Society has received several requests for names of the sheriffs who have served Saluda County since its beginning in 1895. The following is a list of all the men who have served in that capacity over the last 118 years. All of them are worthy of note and may be the subject of future articles in this newsletter; but one, the very first sheriff of Saluda County, was unique in several ways.

Born in what was then Edgefield County on August 23, 1832, Mahlon A. (Scratch) Whittle was already a fairly old man when he took office in 1896. The Whittle homestead, which is still partially standing, was near what is now the Traffic Circle on Highway 378. Sheriff Whittle served the new county for four years from 1896 until 1901. He died February 7, 1901, and is buried in Travis Park Cemetery.

In the following excerpt from *Scraps of Interesting History*, B.W. Crouch writes with fondness about his friend and co-worker in the brand-new county:

Sheriff Whittle was known and called by all who knew him as "Uncle Scratch." Asked how he got that name he would laugh and say, "It's because I am as ugly as 'old scratch.'"

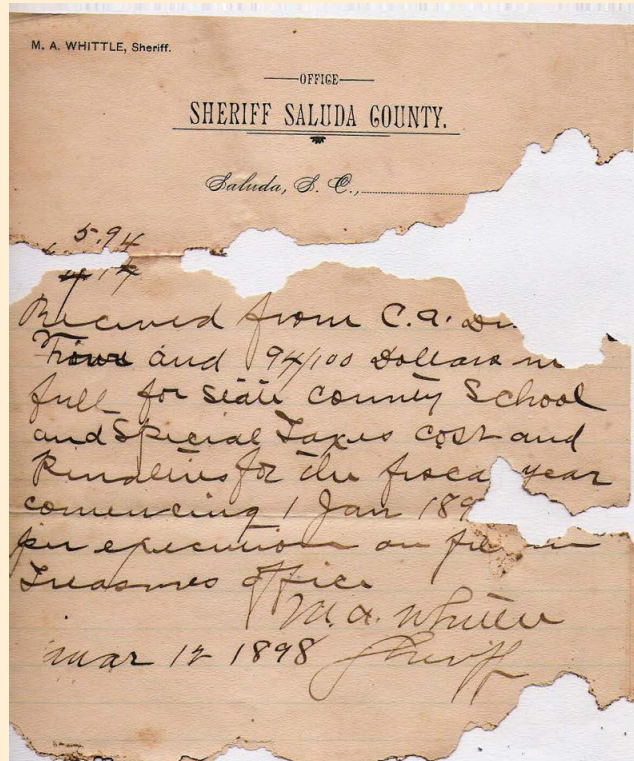
He was a big-hearted old man and allowed himself to be greatly imposed on, especially in time of court. He lived with his family in the old jail, and during court week he would make it a free boarding house!

He and I were great friends and I thought much of him. One day just before the court was to convene he appeared in the door to my office and began to sing, "Mighty good livin' in the clay land." I looked up and there he was with a whole hind quarter of a large beef on his shoulder, providing for the throng he knew would be at his table the following days!

Saluda County Sheriffs	Terms
M.A. (Scratch) Whittle	1896-1901
James A. (Jim) Ridgell	1901-1902
W.L. Rhoden	1902-1904
Ben Sample	1904-1924
J.E. Zeigler	1924-1932
Gary Davis	1932-1948 (elected for 5 terms; served 4 Years and 1 year of 5 th term. Died in office)
Ashmore Davis	1948-(took over for Gary when he died. Ashmore died before term ended.)
Sam Perry	1949-(took over when Ashmore died and was re-elected for 1 term)
Floyd Henderson, Sr.	1953-1957
Clayton (Shorty) Lowe	1957-1960
Harold McCarty	1960-1980
George Booth	1980-1986
William E. Ross	1986-1989
Dudley Rushton	1989-2000
Jason Booth	2000-

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Courtesy Saluda County Historical Society, 2000



This Image of Scratch's Stationary received from the Judith Dancy Duncan and Allen Edward Duncan Family Collection of the Asbill, Cato, Duncan and Whittle Families, Monetta, SC.

Scratch married Mary Ann Duncan, daughter of Charles Duncan and Rebecca Rinehart. Mary Ann was born 3 Jun 1842 and died Sep 1900. They tied the record set by James Whittle, Sr. with 13 children.

- 1291 M i Charles Garrison Whittle has been listed as the first child of Scratch and Mary Ann. One report on Ancestry.com says he was born in 1862 and died in 1902. No other records have been found.
- 1292 F ii Ida Victoria Whittle was born in 1866 and died in 1931. She married John Hezekiah Prater III. He was born in 1860 and died in 1950 at age 90. They lived in Arizona.
- 1293 F iii Jennie "Nettie" Elizabeth Whittle was born in 1867 and died in 1946. She married George Didrick Caughman, Jr., born 1861 and died in 1940. The had 5 children. We thank [Jennie](#) for answering the letter W.O. Whittle sent her in 1941.
- 1294 F iv [Florence Cornelia Whittle](#)
- 1295 F v Regina America Whittle was born in 1870 and died in 1929. She married Reverend Levi Leroy Bedenbaugh, born in 1870 and died in 1941. They had 1 daughter and stayed in Edgefield County.
- 1296 F vi Turina Rebecca Whittle was born in 1872 and was not on the 1880 census.
- + 1297 M vii [Ravenel "Ralph" McBeth Whittle](#)
- 1298 M viii Clarence Clyde Whittle was born 12 Aug 1876 and died 13 Nov 1900. Clarence and his brother Burr are buried along with their parents in Travis Park Cemetery.
- + 1299 M ix [Shelton Fox Whittle](#)

Burr Mahlon Whittle was born in Edgefield County 20 Nov 1880 and died 19 Apr 1924. Burr's death certificate says that he died of an accidental gun shot wound in 1924. His occupation is listed as "high seaman". Burr was a veteran of the Spanish American War and apparently never married. He is buried at Travis Park Cemetery in Saluda County, SC.

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From the Observer Newspaper, 22 Apr 1924:
Zeb Whittle, watchmen in the Mill District of Batesburg accidentally shot himself near the heart on April 19 and died in an automobile on his way to a Hospital in Columbia after the ambulance in which the journey was being taken had been demolished in a collision with the Ford car.

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Gula Mae Whittle was born in 1881 and married Roach Lowery.
Zeddy Asco (Oscar) Whittle was born 23 Mar 1883. He lived with his brother Ravenel in 1900. There is a Zidmen O. Whittle on the 1910 census married to Clarah living in Newberry. There is a Clara

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M. Whittle on the 1920 census listed as head of household in Newberry but it is doubtful that they are the same people. Zeddie Oscar Whittle registered for the WW I draft in Newberry. Zeddie died in Jones County, NC on 31 Jul 1948. No information has been found regarding any family.

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Pearl C. Whittle was born in 1884 and died in 1971. She married James Thomas Herbert, born 1882 and died in 1961.

120. [Catherine Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1836. Date of death is unknown.

Catherine and Scratch are both still living with their parents in 1850. The letter from [Jennie Elizabeth Caughman](#) says she married a "Bodie" as did her sister Jennie, but no first name is mentioned. There is a Jacob Boddie on the 1850 SC census. There is a Jacob Boddie, who says he was born in Edgefield, SC, on the 1860 census living in Burke County, Georgia, and he is married to a Catherine. This is fairly good evidence that Catherine moved to Georgia. There is also a Jacob Boddie who fought with the 21st GA Cavalry. This petition to the Edgefield District Court verifies that Jacob died during the war and that he and Catherine had no children.

State of South Carolina,
Edgefield District }
To Wm. F. Dunsen, Esquire,
The humble Petition of Catherine
Bodie, respectfully sheweth that her
husband Jacob Bodie, died on or
about day of June A.D. 1863,
leaving and possessed of a small Personal
Estate worth about Twelve Hundred Dollars,
and that he left surviving him as his heirs
at Law, your Petitioner, and her Father
and Brothers. Wherefore your Petitioner
respectfully ask that Letters of Admin-
istration may be granted to her upon
her complying with the requisitions of
the Law and your Petitioner will ever
pray &c.
Catherine Bodie

Courtesy of The Family History Center, Mormon Church - Salt Lake City, Utah

This appointment by the Edgefield Court is evidence that, at least in 1863, there was a close relationship between the Ambrose and James M. Whittle family lines. Catherine's father, Willis Whittle, had died the previous year. Both of them stepped in to help Catherine.

State of South Carolina,
EDGEFIELD DISTRICT }
BY W. F. DUNSEN, Esquire, Ordinary of Edgefield District.
These are to authorize and empower you, or any three or four of you, whose names
are hereunder written, to repair to all such parts and places within this State, as you shall
be directed unto by Catherine Bodie, Ad-
ministratrix of the goods and chattels, rights and credits of
Jacob Bodie deceased, wherever any of the said
goods and chattels are, or do remain within the said parts and places, and which shall be
shown unto you by the said Admon. Bodie, and there view and
appraise all and every the said goods and chattels, being first sworn on the Holy Evangelists
of Almighty God, to make a true and perfect Inventory and appraisement thereof, and to
cause the same to be returned under your hands, or any three or four of you, unto the said
Admon. Bodie on or before the 15th day of
October next.
WITNESS, Wm. F. Dunsen Esquire, Ordinary of the said District, the
Twenty-ninth day of August in the year of our Lord,
one thousand eight hundred and Sixty-three and in the 36th
year of the Sovereignty and Independence of the State of South Carolina.
Wm. F. Dunsen
O.R.D.
To Messrs J. M. Ambrose, Esq.
J. S. Smith,
 Jas. M. Whittle
 A. H. Whittle &
 A. Whittle
MEMORANDUM.—That on the Fifteenth day of October
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Sixty-three personally
appeared before me A. Whittle Esq. & Wm. Whittle &
Willie Ambrose of the appraisers appointed to appraise the goods and
chattels of Jacob Bodie deceased,
who being duly sworn, made oath, that they would make a just and true appraisement of
all and singular the goods and chattels of the said Jacob Bodie
deceased, as shall be produced by Mrs. Catherine Bodie, Admon.
of the Estate of the said deceased, and that they would return the same certified under their
hands unto the said Admon. Bodie on or before the 15th
day of October
Sworn the day and year above written before me. Willie Ambrose
John S. Smith Esq. & James M. Whittle
James H. Whittle

Courtesy of The Family History Center, Mormon Church - Salt Lake City, Utah

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The Civil War Years

131. [Edea "Edy" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 10 Oct 1812 and died there 22 Dec 1885.

Edy married Nathaniel Burton, Sr. on 22 Dec 1842. He was considerably older than her. Nathaniel was born about 1773 and died 4 July 1865. He was first married to Susannah Asbill. They had 11 children. Susannah died 30 Aug 1841. Nathaniel and both his wives are buried in the Burton Family Cemetery, Monetta, SC.

Their only child Joseph married Mary Bodie, daughter of James C. Bodie and Caroline Asbill Bodie in 1866. Joseph and Mary took care of Edy in her old age and lived on the same plantation as Nathaniel and Edy. Our thanks to Annette S. Burton who provided this information in a letter to "Whittle Family Descendants" on file at the OEDGS office in Edgefield.

1311 M i Joseph Burton - born 29 Oct, 1845 and died 18 Apr 1929. This Death Certificate verifies his parents.

1. PLACE OF DEATH		CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		File No.—For State Registrar Only	
County of <u>Saluda Co</u>		STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA		11085	
Township of <u>#2</u>		Bureau of Vital Statistics			
or		State Board of Health			
Inc. Town of _____		Registration District No. <u>3901</u>		Registered No. <u>19</u>	
City of _____		(No. _____ St. _____)		(For use of Local Registrar)	
				(If death occurred in a hospital or institution give its NAME instead of street and number.)	
2. FULL NAME <u>Joseph Burton</u>		Residence—In City _____ Yrs. _____ Mos. _____ Days _____			
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS					
1. SEX <u>male</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>white</u>	3. SINGLE <u>married</u>	16. DATE OF DEATH		
OR DIVORCED (Write the word)			15 19 <u>29</u>		
5. DATE OF BIRTH <u>Oct 29 1845</u>			17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from _____ 19____ to _____ 19____, that I last saw him _____ alive on _____ 19____, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at _____ m. The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:		
7. AGE <u>83</u> yrs. <u>5</u> mos. <u>19</u> days	IF LESS than 1 day _____ hrs. or min.		<u>death was due to old age</u>		
8. OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>farmer</u>			(Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ days		
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)			18. Where was disease contracted? _____		
9. BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Saluda</u>			Did operation precede death? _____ date of _____		
10. NAME OF FATHER <u>Nathaniel Burton</u>			Was there an autopsy? _____		
11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Wendover</u>			What test confirmed diagnosis? _____ (Signed) _____ M.D.		
12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Edea Asbill</u>			19. (Address) _____		
13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) <u>Saluda</u>			20. (Address) _____		
14. THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>J. C. Burton</u> (Address) <u>Monetta SC</u>					
15. FILED <u>June 15 1929</u> <u>Wm J. S. Crouse</u> Local Registrar			18. Place of Burial or Removal <u>Burton Family Cemetery</u> DATE OF BURIAL <u>4-17-1929</u>		
			20. UNDERTAKER <u>J. L. Smith</u> ADDRESS <u>Saluda Co SC</u>		

132. [Reason Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County ca. 1817 and died in 1889 in Hillsborough County, Florida.

There is a good possibility that Reason was named after Reason Gentry who served in the 1st SC Militia during the War of 1812 with James Whittle, Jr.. Reason stayed in SC until shortly after his first wife, Martha McGraw, died in 1852. Sometime before 1860 he moved to Madison County, Florida. The following note about Reason and his friend William Johnson was found on the Internet.

Notes for WILLIAM LAMAR JOHNSON:

William L. Johnson had a friend named Reason Whittle. (Sometimes his name was recorded as Raison.) He has been identified through census and other records as living close to William L. Reason married Martha McGraw, second daughter of Amos McGraw on January 28, 1838. I do not know whether they had children, but she died rather young, in 1852.

This was about the time William L. married Sara McGraw. That marriage ended the McGraw branch of our family tree. The newlyweds promptly had a daughter whom they named Louisa, sometimes referred to as LuAnn. Then William L. and his friend, Reason Whittle, decided to move to Florida. I do not know whether Reason's wife, Martha, died before they moved. I do know that William L., his wife Sara, and their daughter, Louisa, moved to Madison County, FL with Reason Whittle. While there, the Johnson's had another child, a son, whom they named John Franklin Johnson.

William L. and his family lived in Florida only a short while. They moved into Washington County, Georgia about 1854/55. Reason Whittle stayed in Florida. In 1857 he married a widow named Nancy McPherson. He died in Tampa FL in 1880. William L. and Sara lived close to Seaborn Johnson and his children near Sandersville, GA. Sara gave him five more children, suffered with him throughout the Civil War, and died just about the time it ended, in 1865. Two of her sons became well known doctors in middle Georgia.

Martha McGraw was born in 1825 and died in 1852 of unknown causes. She was the daughter of Amos McGraw, a lawyer in Edgefield County. One of Amos's other daughters married Amos Whittle, son of Willis Whittle. Reason and Martha were married 28 Nov 1838 in Edgefield. On the 1850 census they list 4 children. James Clayton was their last son born in 1851.

- 1321 F i Elizabeth Whittle - born about 1839. She is not living with Reason in Florida on the 1860 census.
- 1322 M ii Peter J. Whittle - born about 1845. He is living in Florida in 1860 but no other records have been found.
- 1323 F iii Laura Ann Whittle - born about 1847. It is reported but not verified that she married David Godfrey Geiger and raised 8 children in Mayo, Layfayette County, Florida.
- 1324 F iv Lenora Whittle - born about 1849. She is not living with Reason in Florida on the 1860 census.
- + 1325 M v [James Clayton Whittle](#)

Reason married Nancy Dikes McPherson in Florida on 1 Oct 1857. The marriage can be found on Ancestry.com in SC Marriages 1641-1965. Nancy said on the 1860 census that she was born in Georgia about 1828 and that her parents were from SC.

On the 1860 census we find Reason and Nancy with children from her previous marriage and their first born Sophronia. On both the 1860 and 1870 census, they are now in Tampa, Hillsborough County.

Sophronia Cornelia Whittle - was born 10 Jun 1860. She is still living at home in Florida in 1880. She died 1 Oct 1915. We received

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information from Craig Dankers of Newnan, GA that Sophronia married Alan Andrews and had several children.

First Families of Dunedin

ALLEN G. ANDREWS 1854 - 1926

Wife: CORNELIA (Whittle) ANDREWS 1860 - 1915

To the Andrews were born four sons and three daughters. Sons: Archie 1885-1913; John Gouley 1890 - ; George 1895 - ; Oren Wilkie 1900 - 1962. Daughters: Bernice (Andrews) Gash 1893 - ; Minta (Andrews) Rutledge 1882 - 1928; Eustene (Andrews) Wilkerson 1898 - .

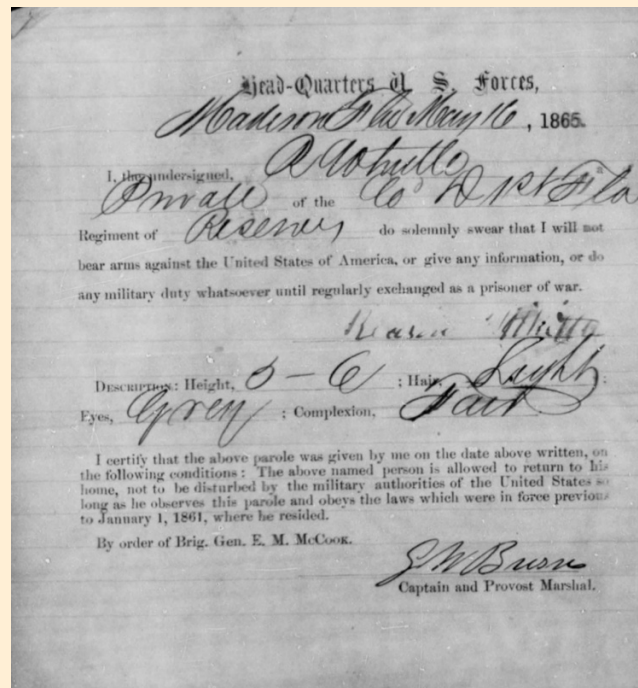
Allen G. Andrews came to Dunedin in 1876 and homesteaded a tract of land on the south side of Union St. His brother William Andrews in 1869 homesteaded a tract of land on the north side of Union St.

In March 1882, Allen Andrews married Cornelia Whittle daughter of Reason Whittle 1817-1889; Nancy (Dikes) Whittle 1820 - 1894. The Whittles came to Dunedin in 1859 or 1860. They homesteaded 160 acres of land, a portion of which was the Milwaukee Groves and now Dunedin Lake-wood Estates and Grove Acres Subdivisions.

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Copy courtesy of Craig Dankers - November, 2012

Reason served the Confederacy as a private in Company D, 1st Florida Infantry Reserves. He would have been age 47 when he enlisted in 1864. His surrender oath is on file in the National Archives.



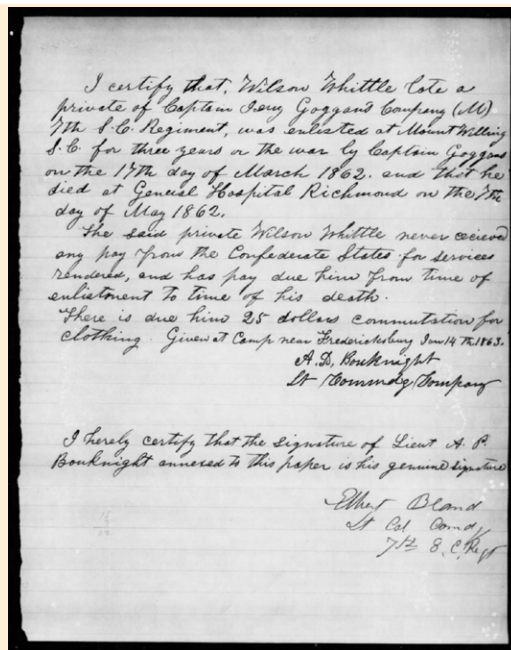
Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/109106332>

133. Clarisey Whittle (Burris, James Sr., James Jr.) was born in Edgefield County about 1818 and died there before 1871.

Clarisey married Ira Hezekiah Satcher, born about 1817 and died about 1874. They had the following children as verified by the 1850 and 1860 census as well as the Will of James M. Whittle, Jr.:

Wilson enlisted 17 Mar 1862 in the 7th SC Infantry, Company M as a Private at about age 42. His paperwork does not state the cause of death, so we don't know if it was from wounds or disease. In this letter Hepsey gives Capt. Jerry Goggins power of attorney to collect \$44.06 of Wilson's back pay. Notice that the additional witnesses to Wilson's marriage to Hepsey are Alfred and Marshall Whittle from the Willis Whittle family. Marshall was home on a 30 day pass from the 19th SC Infantry.

Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/72081524>



Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/72081545>

Wilson married Hephsebah "Hepsey" Prater, daughter of Hezekiah Prater and Ellen Hartley. They migrated to Edgefield County from Montgomery County, Maryland. Hepsey was born 24 Mar 1824 and died 11 Aug 1892. Their children are:

- + 1341 F i [Mary Jane Whittle](#)
- + 1342 F ii [Georgia Anne Whittle](#)
- + 1343 M iii [Allison Harvey Whittle](#)
- + 1344 M iv [Minick Quincy Whittle](#)
- + 1345 F v [Eudora Whittle](#)
- + 1346 F vi [Sophia Victoria Whittle](#)
- + 1347 M vii [William Floyd Whittle](#)
- + 1348 F viii [Ella Whittle](#)
- + 1349 F ix [Cora "Corrie" Whittle](#)

There is evidence that a boy named Milton was born in 1846 between Mary Jane and Georgia Anna. He is buried in the Whittle family plot and only lived a few months. Hepsey and Wilson are buried together in a small family cemetery on their original homestead.



Photo courtesy of Joe Claude Whittle

135. [William Floyd Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1824 and probably died in Madison County, Florida 12 Dec 1878.

W. Floyd appears on the 1850 census living between Wesley Whittle, presumably his brother, and Joseph Bodie who married Jane Whittle, daughter of Willis Whittle. The census taker records his age as 26, so he was born about 1824. He is married to Sophia, believed to be a Prater and the sister of Hepsey Prater, wife of Wilson Whittle. Three children are listed:

- 1351 M i Capers Whittle - born about 1845. No records have been found. One Internet comment says he died in the Civil War but this may be Capers Whittle Bodie, his cousin.
- + 1352 M ii [James P. Whittle](#)
- + 1353 M iii [Milton A. Whittle](#)

William Floyd Whittle is not listed in the will of James M. Whittle, Jr. so we can not prove he is his son. Was he disinherited? There are several interesting and unanswered questions about the 1850 census. We have a Capers Bodie and a Capers Whittle that would be 2nd cousins. Floyd and Joseph Bodie are separated in age by 18 years, unusual they would both name their sons Capers. Also interesting to note that Wilson Whittle named one of his boys William Floyd Whittle.

If you review the 1860 Edgefield census there are some interesting unaccounted for children. Unfortunately we find a lazy census taker who used a lot of initials instead of full names. Who is the Milton Whittle living with Sophia Whittle, assumed to be widow of Joseph Whittle because she is age 54? If this is Milton Whittle, son of William Floyd and Sophia Prater, it suggests that WF might be a son of Joseph Whittle. Who are James P. and Rufus Whittle who are living with the older John Whittle? If James P. is the son of WF, this might suggest that WF is a son of John Whittle, or are his children just spread around because WF is off to Florida and Sophia Prater is dead? Where is W. Floyd Whittle, who would be about 36 years old in 1860? The answer may be found in this service record found at the National Archives.

Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/77128946>

On the 1870 Madison County, Florida census we find Wm F. Whittle, age 48, born in SC about 1822. He is married to a woman named Cartwrak. There is a 21 year old son named Milton born in SC. By 1880 Milton A. Whittle is married and still in Madison County, he is also 31 years old as we would expect. From this it appears that W. Floyd Whittle moved to Florida before 1870. The fate of Sophia is unknown, although Prater Family records say Sophia died in 1862. We will however, add the additional children living with Wm F. in the 1870 census.

- 1354 M iv William J. Whittle - born about 1862. This is probably Willie J. found in the Oak Ridge Cemetery.
- 1355 F v Nancy W. Whittle - born about 1864. We have no further records.
- 1356 F vi Catura E. Whittle - born Dec 1869. We have no further records.

On the 1880 Madison County census we find Nancy W. listed as a daughter of Katurah Whittle along with 2 other daughters. Are Cartwrak and Katurah the same women? There are now 2 additional daughters.

- 1357 F i Dora R. Whittle - born about 1871. We have no further records.
- 1358 F ii Alas F. Whittle - born about 1874. We have no further records.

There is an enclosed Whittle Family lot located in the Oak Ridge Cemetery in Madison County. It has W.F. Whittle, born 22 Jan 1828, died 12 Dec 1878. His DOB is different by 4 years from the ages recorded in 1850 and 1870. K.E. Whittle, beloved mother is also there, born 28 May 1828, died 13 Sep 1891. This is assumed to be "Katurah" from the 1880 census. From information received from Brenda Laney in May of 2010, WF's wife is Kittie Mittura Wright, daughter of Jacob

and Nancy Howell Wright from Edgefield County, SC.

Five additional graves are in the Whittle lot: Sophia, died age 10; Lenorah H., died 12 May 1856, age 8; Martha E., died 14 Jun 1854, age 30 and 2 infant children, one named Willie J. None of these names, except Willie J., appear on any census, but all are assumed to be children of WF and KE.

136. [Westley Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1825 and died in 1862 in the Confederate General Hospital, Richmond, Virginia.

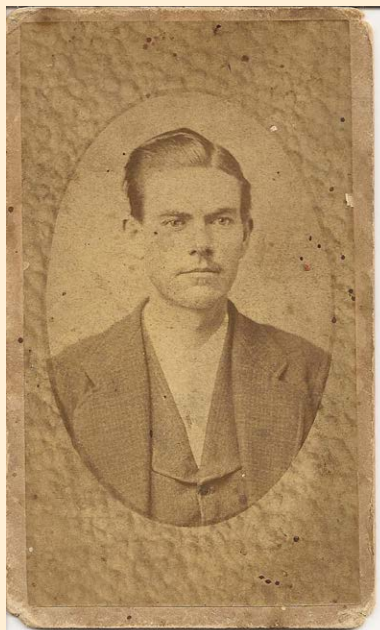
Westley was on the roster of the 14th SC Infantry, Company B at the time of his death; however, no record of his death has been found at the National Archives. He and his brother Wilson lived their last days in the hospital at Richmond. It appears that neither of their widows ever remarried.

Westley married Hulda Minick. She was born in 1827 and died in 1900. According to information found in Book 000, Page 302 (25 Mar 1869), James M. Whittle deeded Hulda 100 acres which was their homeplace before Wesley died. The children of their marriage are:

- 1361 M i John Preston Whittle - born 1851, died 1853.
- + 1362 M ii [Francis Coke Whittle](#)
- + 1363 F iii [Nancy Emeline Whittle](#)
- + 1364 F iii [Mary Anna Whittle](#)
- + 1365 F iii [Wesley Annette"Nettie" Whittle](#)

137. [Nancy Emeline Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1827 and died there before 1903.

Emeline married Milton Ashberry Prater, brother of Hepsey and Sophia Prater. Milton was born in 1822 and died 5 June 1909. Milton must have been highly respected by his father-in-law. He was named as executor of James M. Whittle, Jr.'s Will in 1871. Our thanks to Milton's brother Larkin's ggg grandson, Wade Prater for this wonderful picture of Milton Ashberry Prater.



Courtesy of Linda Rogers and Wade Prater, May 2010

Emeline and Milton had three boys:

- 1371 M i Jacob P. Prater - born 1848, died 1880.
- 1372 M ii John Drayton Prater - born 1850, died 1905.
- 1373 M iii James Franklin Prater - born 1852, died 1911.

On the 1850 census Emeline and Milton are farming in Lexington, SC. In 1856 they moved to Alabama. Although some of this information is incorrect, here is what Curtis Thomasson had to say about the Prater family.

Prater brothers settled near Andalusia in 1850s

By Curtis Thomasson
The Andalusia Star-News

The Prater family who lived in Covington County during the mid to late 1800s emigrated from South Carolina. At least three brothers, Milton Ashberry, Wesley Griffin, and Hezekiah Jr., came to this county during the 1850s.

These three men were sons of Hezekiah Prater, Sr., a native of Maryland who reared his family in South Carolina. Hezekiah, born in 1793, was the son of Zachariah Prather, a Revolutionary War Veteran. Hezekiah was married to Ellen Eleanor Hartley, daughter of Daniel and Eleanor (Brown) Hartley.

Hezekiah and Eleanor had the following children: Mahala Emaline, b. 1812, d. 1870; Elouisa C. "Larcey", b. 1816, d. 1880; Sophia, b. 1818, d. 1862; Mackey M, b. 1820; d. 1865; Milton Ashberry, b. 1822, d. 1909, m. Nancy Emaline Whittle; Hepsabah "Hepsey," b. 1824, d. 1892; Wesley Griffin, b. 1826, d. 1885, m. Elizabeth ?; Hezekiah Jr., b. 1827, d. 1863, m. Mary Ann Whittle; Elizabeth Eleanor, b. 1830, d. 1900; Larkin Christwell, b. 1832, d. 1864; and Drury A., b. 1835, d. 1862.

Hezekiah Sr. died in 1850, a few years before three of his sons decided to move west into new territory. He was buried in South Carolina where his wife would live an additional 21 years.

The oldest son, Milton Ashberry, was the first Prater to buy public land in Covington County. In 1856, he acquired three parcels of land: 41 acres, 160 acres, and 80 acres, all near the new little town of Andalusia.

Milton was married to Nancy Emaline Whittle, daughter of Ambrose and Rebecca (Duncan) Whittle. They reared the following three sons: Joab P., b. 1848, d. 1880, m. Mary Elizabeth ?; John Drayton, b. 1850, d. 1905, m. Mary R.; and James Franklin Monroe, b. 1852, d. 1911, m. (1) Rebecca Adaline Permenter) (2) Saphronia Ann Tanner. It appears that the three children were born before the family left South Carolina.

Milton was apparently listed by error in the 1860 census as William A. Prater. With him were his wife, Nancy, and the three sons. He was recorded in the same year as owning two slaves. In 1867, an N.A. Prater was listed as being a qualified voter in Beat Number One.

In 1862, an M.A. Prater, was serving as an Adjutant in the 60th Reg't. (Covington

County) 8th. Brigade, 11th. Division, Alabama Militia. Soon after this time, Milton A. served with Brown's Barbierre Battalion of the Alabama Cavalry in the CSA. Following the war, he returned to Covington County and was enumerated in the 1870 census. At some point, he then returned to South Carolina where he died at Batesburg in 1909.

The next son, Wesley Griffin, arrived in Covington County circa 1855. He was enumerated with his growing family in the 1860 census. He was a farmer at 38 years of age living with his wife Elizabeth. They reared the following four children: William B., b. 1846; Mary Ellen, b. 1848; James E., b. 1850; and Eller F., b. 1853.

In 1861, Wesley was serving as an Adjutant for the 60th. Reg't. (Cov. Co.) 8th. Brigade, 11th. Division, Alabama Militia, the same unit as his brother. He soon advanced to the rank of Colonel. With the beginning of the war, he enlisted in Co. G, 12th. Ala Cav. and 1st. Regular Ala. Cav. After the war, he returned to Covington County where he received a political appointment. Even though he was loyal to the Confederacy until the war's end, he was regarded locally as having moderate political convictions. In 1865, he was appointed by Military Provisional Governor Lewis E. Parsons to fill the office of county treasurer.

Wesley's public service was short lived because he had moved to DeSoto Parish, La., by 1870. However, he deeded his land in Covington County in 1885.

The other brother who emigrated to Covington County was Hezekiah Prater, Jr. In the 1860 census, he was listed as a store clerk at 35 years of age and living in the household of Isaac Smith. He apparently moved his family down after this date.

Hezekiah Jr. And his wife, Mary Ann Whittle, sister to his brother's wife, had the following children: Martha Ann, b. 1854, d. 1928; Sumpter Daniel, b. 1857, d. 1939; James Hezekiah, b. 1860, d. 1950; Elizabeth Betty, b. 1863, d. 1881; Robert E. Lee, b. 1866, d. 1926; William Tillman, b. 1869, d. 1870; and Dollie Evangeline, b. 1871, d. 1958.

Hezekiah Jr. served as a private in Co. E, 11th. Fla. Inf. of the CSA. Some records indicate he died in 1863 in Milton, Fla., while home on sick leave. Other records suggest he died circa 1873, and this would seem more likely based on the birth dates of his last three children. After his death, his family returned to live with his father-in-law, Ambrose Whittle, on Cloud's Creek west of Batesburg, S.C.

In the 1870 census, there were at least three Prater households enumerated. One was Milton, age 48, and his wife Emaline, age 42, with their son John D., age 20. Another was Milton's son, Joab, age 22, and wife, Elizabeth, age 20, with Milton A., six months. A third was Hezekiah Jr.'s son, W.B., age 22, and wife, Henriett, age 18, and daughter, Genett T., seven months.

The family of Milton's son, James F.M., was not found in the 1870 census for Covington County. He was in the county later and died here circa 1911. Actually, he died and was buried in Tuscaloosa where he had been committed to Bryce State Hospital.

James F.M.'s descendants were the ones who mostly remained in Covington County.

He and his first wife, Rebecca Adaline Permenter, had the following five children: Harvey C., b.1872, d. 1954, m. (1) ? (2) Alice Gibson (3) Wealthy E. Laird; Charles Wesley, b. 1875, d. 1966, m. (1) Gussie Hamilton (2) Marandy "Randi" Linzy (3) Curtis Lenorah Bell; Wade Hampton, b. 1877, d. 1950, m. Viola Day; James Monroe "Buster," b. 1882, d. 1911; and Emma, b. 1882, d. 1882. At her death, Rebecca was buried in the Hatcher Cemetery at Freeport.

James and his second wife, Saphronia Ann Tanner, had at least four children: Emmie, b. 1889, d. 1967, m. Emanuel M. Butler; Ella May, b. 1892; Jesse W., b. 1895, d. 1951, m. Adell Ridlehoover; Laura, b. 1898, d. 1981, m. (1) James I. Dillard (2) Guy Cowen; and Ida Belle, b. 1902, d. 1983, m. Arthur Irwin Day. At her death, Saphronia was buried in the Mason Cemetery in Dixie (Alabama).

Among the Prater descendants researching their family's ancestry is Greg Wood of Alabaster. Appreciation is expressed to him for sharing his family records for use in writing this column.

Anyone who has questions or additional information on this family is requested to contact Curtis Thomasson, Route 9, Box 97, Andalusia, AL 36420 or e-mail: chthom@alaweb.com.

Emeline and Milton probably returned to Edgefield about the time James M. Whittle, Jr. died and they are found on the 1880 census with a grandson named Charles, born in Florida. Is Charles the son of James F.M. Prater, mentioned by Curtis Thomasson above; if so, why is he living in South Carolina when the rest of the family is in Alabama?

138. [Emanuel M. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1830 and died 22 Feb 1863 at Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Emanuel is listed in the household of his parents on the 1850 census. He apparently followed his older brother Reason to Madison County, Florida as there are land records on file in Tallahassee by 1856. We assume that he was single at the time of his death from disease during the war. Here is his service record:

Enlisted as a Private on 28 March 1861

Enlisted in Company F, 1st Infantry Regiment Florida on 05 April 1861.

Transferred on 28 January 1862 from company F to company H

Mustered out Company F, 1st Infantry Regiment Florida on 06 April 1862

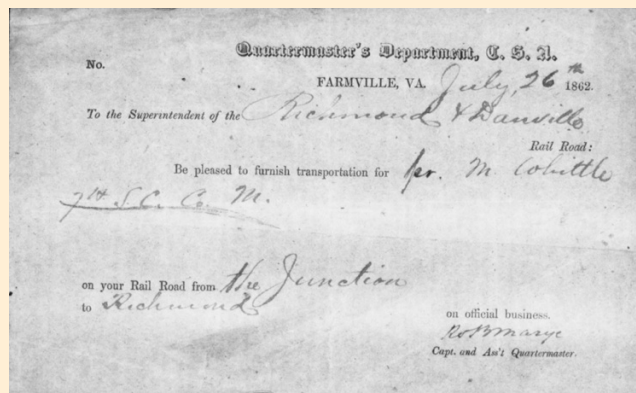
Enlisted in Company G, 3rd Infantry Regiment Florida on 12 May 1862.

Died of disease Company G, 3rd Infantry Regiment Florida on 22 February 1863 in Chattanooga, TN

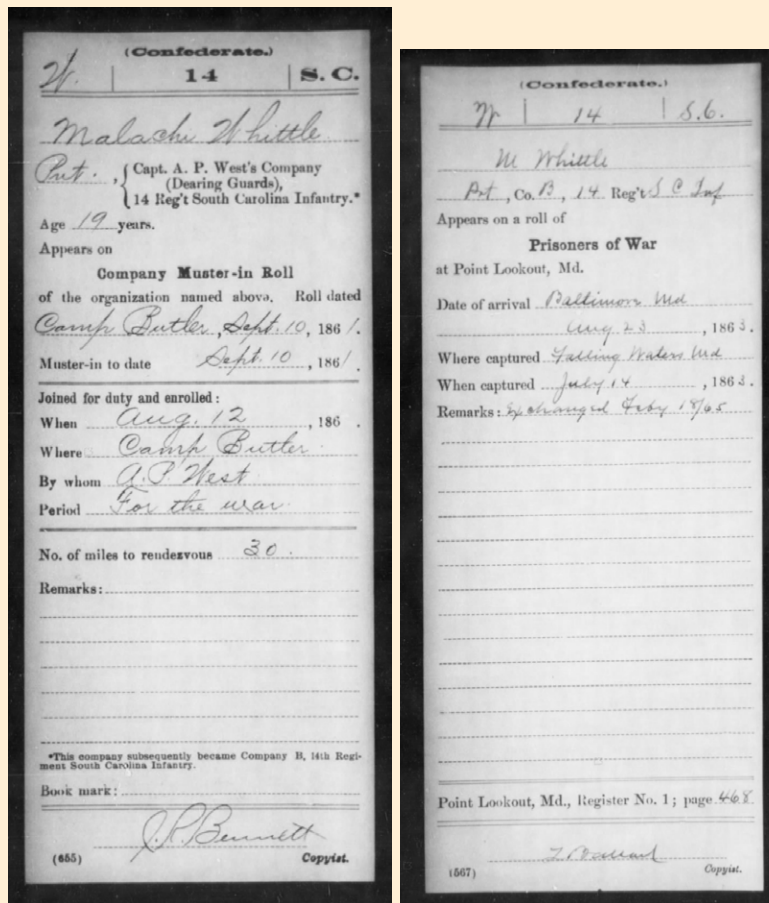
139. [Malachi A. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County Aug 1832 and died there in Nov 1908.

Malachi enlisted as a private in Company M and ended the war in Company C of the 7th SC Infantry under Capt. A.P. Bouknight. He was wounded at Frazier's Farm. Unlike his 3 brothers, Emanuel, Wesley and Wilson, he survived and returned to Edgefield County when the war ended.

One can only imagine the purpose of this train pass to Richmond in 1862.



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Malachi was twice married. His first wife was Mary Ann Minick, born 1828, died 1897. They had one daughter.

1381 F i Mitriam Timokely "Timmy" Whittle was born in 1860 and died in 1883. She married Christopher Columbus Wise, Sr. (1857-1921). They had one son named Ernest Briggs Wise, born 21 Mar 1882 and died 29 Mar 1951.

Malachi next married Sarah Elizabeth Charles, born 1857, died 1924. Sarah's father was Patrick Charles who was a friend of Malachi's during the war. The children of their marriage are:

- 1382 F ii Anna Whittle was born in 1876 and died in 1926. She married Daniel J. Maroney (1871-1926).
- + 1383 M iii [Augustus Alonzo "Gus" Whittle](#)
Roy Woodrull Whittle was born in Saluda County 8 Apr 1894 and
1384 M iv died in Laurinburg, Scotland County, NC on 18 Apr 1952. He never married.

1310. [Francis S. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 19 Dec 1829 and died 24 Aug 1896.

Francis is listed in the household of James and Nancy on the 1850 census. She was not in James Whittle's will. Thanks to information provided in 2012 by a descendant, Monty Thrailkill, she married Levi Thrailkill and was the mother of 8 children. Levi was born 13 Feb 1829 and died 3 Jan 1896. Both are buried in Thrailkill Cemetery off Padgett Pond Road in Monetta, Saluda County, SC.

The children of their marriage are:

- 1 M i George Burdette Thrailkill was born 11 Feb 1854 and died 6 Dec 1915.
James Whittle Thrailkill was born 26 Mar 1856 and died 4 Nov 1930.
- 2 M ii James married Annie Rutland, born 14 Nov 1860 and died 30 Mar 1944. They had 3 children.

141. [McNath Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Elijah\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 1 May 1828 and died in Dyersburg, TN.

McNath "McKnight" was living in Lexington, SC on the 1850 census, probably in a Baptist seminary. McNath was the administrator of his father's estate in 1853. By 1860 McNath has moved to Dyersburg, TN and is a Baptist minister. On 3 Jan 1863, he married Mary Ford. Mary was born 3 Aug 1830 and died 2 Dec 1925, age 93. The children of their marriage are:

- 1411 F i Alice Whittle was born 8 Sep 1865 and died 4 Apr 1902. She is still living with her mother on the 1900 census, so it is likely that she never married.
- 1412 M ii Thomas F. Whittle was born Aug 1868 and died 28 May 1881, age 12 years and 9 months.

This biographical sketch of James L. Hicks implies that McNath and Mary had other children to raise as well as their own.

The census of 1830 in Charlotte County, Virginia, lists my grandmother, Sarah A Ford born in 1823, living with her parents, Deveveaux M. Ford, b. 1796 and Amy W, Dupree b. 1801. Also my great-great-grandmother Sallie Ford, b. in 1777, was listed as living in their home in Culpepper, VA.

Sarah A. Ford was married in 1839 to my grandfather, James L. Hicks born in 1819. James' parents John, 1787-1840, and Jane Hicks 1794-1840 lived in Henderson County, Kentucky when James was born. John & Jane Hicks are buried in a small private cemetery in Henderson, Kentucky.

James L. and Sarah Hicks had seven children but only three lived during the years of their marriage. Elizabeth V. b 1841, Mary Teresa b 1853 and Henry Thomas b in 1855. In 1859 when Henry Thomas was 4 years old, Sarah died suddenly. These three children were brought by their father to Tennessee to live with Sarah Hicks' sister, Mary Whittle and her husband, McKnight Whittle, who was a Baptist Preacher. James L. Hicks returned to Kentucky where he died in 1863. Aunt Mary Whittle reared my father and his sisters. They lived on farm land where Antioch Baptist Church is located in the Tibbs Community. The Whittle family gave the land for Anitoch Church to be built.

Mary Teresa, known as Aunt Mollie married John Woody Allen while Elizabeth , Aunt Lizzie, taught school, married Jefferson Lane and left no heirs when she died in 1934.

Henry T. Hicks married Mary Alice Byars, daughter of Tom Westly Byars on 4-3-1876. They purchased land in the Tibbs Community and built their home there. Henry T, and Mary Alice Hicks had four sons; James Westley, 1878-1900, Egbert Ezell, 1881-1980, Henry DeWoody, 1883-1937, Lawrence Edward, 1886-1901. Mary Alice died in 1889 and is buried in the Hicks Family Cemetery located on the Mary Dixon Road in the Tibbs Community near Antioch Church.

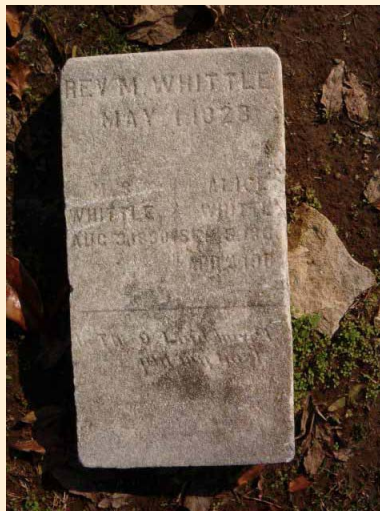
After Mary Alice's death, Henry married Minnie Bell Walls, 5-4-1876-4-9-1924, daughter of W.H. and Alpha Walls. Henry Thomas Hicks died in 1916 and Minnie Hicks died in 1924. Both are buried in the Hick's Cemetery in Tibbs Community.

Henry T. and Minnie Hicks had children who were reared and lived all their young lives in Haywood County. These are William Devereux, 1892-1962. Thomas Jefferson 1893-1942; John D 1896-1918; Edgar Lean, 1898-1946; Ivan Herman, 1899-1975; Julius Ulysses, 1901-1985; Sarah Ann, 1903-1974; Mary Pauline 1905-1983; Dupree, 1907-1907; Alpha Elizabeth 1910, and Minnie 1912.

Elizabeth Hicks married Louis Taylor in 1928 and they continue to live in the Tabernacle Community.

Submitted by Elizabeth Hicks Taylor.

Courtesy of The History of Haywood County Tennessee, 1989



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Lauderdale County Enterprise
Ripley, Tenn.
18 Dec 1925

Mrs. E.V. Layne's Aunt, Mary Whittle, died at her home in Dyersburg December 2nd.
She was 95 years of age and the oldest citizen of Dyersburg.

143. [Bethany Marthana Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Elijah\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1832 and died there after 1900.

Thanks to the surviving decendants of this family, we have some excellent information. Bethany married her first cousin [William Manchester Whittle](#), a son of John Whittle. William served the Confederacy in the 7th SC Infantry, Company C and E. He returned to Edgefield after the war and continued raising his family.

Bethany and William lived on Padgett Pond Road in Monetta, SC. On the 1870 census, Bethany's mother Nancy, age 75, is living with them.

- + 1851 M i [Levi Burdette Whittle](#)
Missouri M. Whittle was born in 1856 and died 30 Mar 1930. Thanks to some new research conducted by Brenda Laney, Missouri married John Matthews and they can be found on the 1880 census living in Norris Township under the name "Mathis". John was born 12 Jan 1840 and died 8 Feb 1915 per death certificate. One of Brenda's aunts remembers hearing about "Aunt Missouri Matthews".
- 1852 F ii
- + 1853 M iii [Manchester C. Whittle](#)
Melbrae Adella Whittle was born in June 1863 and died in 1931. She married John Willie Asbill. He was born in 1857 and died in 1932. They had 3 boys and 8 girls.
- 1854 F iv
- 1855 F v
Nancy "Nannie" Whittle was born about 1867 and died in 1940. She married Michael M. Asbill, born in 1854 and died in 1909. They had 1 boy and 2 girls. Adella and Nannie lived next door to each other in the 1900 census.
- 1856 F vi
Ida Bethany Whittle was born about 1869. She married William Jarvis Asbill. He was born in 1870 and died in 1949. On the 1900 census they had 2 boys. Ida's great granddaughter, Cheryl Girard, has this to say about what her family always said about Ida. "I just know that everyone that knew them (Ida and WJ) says Ida was a short, redheaded Irishwoman, proud of her heritage. I inherited her shortness. argh!"

144. [Agrippa Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Elijah\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1831 and died in Savannah, GA 13 Nov 1872.

"Ayrippa" is the name that was translated from the 1850 census. Because of the use of initials on the 1860 census, it is not possible to verify this spelling again and there are no initials beginning with A. Thanks to some excellent detective work done by Brenda Laney, there is evidence that Agrippa may have moved to Florida about 1858.

A.G. and Mary Whittle, both age 22 and born in South Carolina, appear on the 1860 census in Archer, Alachua County, FL. In the mid 1850s, a small settlement called Deer Hammock was established as a possible town along the proposed Florida Railroad line. In 1858, the town, then called Archer after Florida's first secretary of state, James T. Archer, was laid out. David Yulee built a plantation here which hosted the Confederate "Gold Train" in 1865. A.G.'s occupation is shoemaker and they have 3 children. Next door to them is William, age 17 and Mary, age 16, McClendon. The census taker visited all of them on 13 July 1860.

Brenda also made this observation. "The Mt Willing census was done on 31 Aug, a month and a half after the Florida census. Living on one side of William and Bethany Whittle is Sophia Whittle and her daughter, Julia McClendon. On the other side of them is William and Mary McClendon. I believe these are the same people as found on the Florida census." This would also suggest that these "cousins" may have been good friends as well.

Agrippa must have learned the carpenter trade when he wasn't repairing shoes in Florida. On the 1870 census we find A. Wittel, occupation carpenter, and Mary and Lizzie, living in Savannah, Chatham County, GA. All are about the correct age and born in South Carolina.

Agrippa and his two sons rest in peace at Laurel Grove Cemetery in Savannah.

1441 F i Nancy Elizabeth Whittle was born in 1855.

1442 M ii Levi McDonald Whittle was born in 1857 and died 22 Oct 1864.

1443 M iii William Madison Whittle was born in 1858 and died 27 June 1861.

145. [Elvanus Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Elijah\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1836 and died at the siege of Petersburg, VA on 17 Jun 1864.

"Avanis" is the name that was translated from the 1850 census. Because of the use of initials on the 1860 census, it is next to impossible to verify Avanis. Searching on A Whittle produces no candidates. Searching on E Whittle finds 2 age 25 year old males, one of them is married to an E Whittle and they have a 3 year old son named Elbert. Elizabeth Whittle is listed on the 1870 census, living with Louiza Davis. She has a 12 year old son named Elbert. It seems very likely that this is the same family from 1860. On the 1900 census Elizabeth, mother-in-law, lives with Rufus and Elvania Bush in Augusta, GA. She tells the census taker that she bore 5 children, only one still living.

Elvanus and Elizabeth (believed to be Jones) had the following children:

1451 M i Elbert Whittle was born about 1858. The only Elbert located on any census after 1870 that seems to fit the bill is an Elbert E. Whittle listed as proprietor of a lodging house in Phoenix, AZ on the 1910 census. He says he and his parents were born in SC. Elbert also says he is married but no family members are listed.

1452 F ii M. Whittle was born about 1858 and died before 1870.

1453 F iii Tishino (or Elvira) Whittle was born in 1862.

1454 F iv Elvania (or Evelina) Whittle was born 26 Jan 1863 and died 14 Apr 1930. She married Rufus Bush. On the 1900 census Rufus and "Elbauey" are living in Richmond County, GA. At some point they returned to SC, as both can be found at Spann Methodist Church, Ward, SC.

The records of the 22nd SC Infantry show an "Elvanus Whittle" in Company A. Our thanks to researcher, Dallas Phelps, for determining his fate. "According to the book, Broken Fortunes, by R. Kirkland, Elvanus Whittle was killed in action on 17 Jun 1864 at Petersburg, Virginia."

(Confederate)
M 22 S.C.
E. Whittle
Co. A, Co. *A*, 22 Reg't South Carolina Vols.
 Appears on
Company Muster Roll
 of the organization named above,
 for *Feb. 29 to June 30, 1864*
Dated Nov. 22, 1864
 Enlisted:
 When *Jan. 25, 1862*
 Where *Columbia S.C.*
 By whom *Col. Martin*
 Period *War*
 Last paid:
 By whom *Capt. Lumsden*
 To what time *Dec. 31, 1863*
 Present or absent
 Remarks: *Killed in Battle*
17 June 1864 near Petersburg,
VA.
 Book mark:
J. Escabi
 (442) Copyist.

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22nd Regiment, South Carolina Infantry

22nd Infantry Regiment was organized and mustered into Confederate service in December, 1861. Some of its members were recruited in Oconee and Edgefield counties. After serving in South Carolina, the unit was sent to Virginia and assigned to General Evans', Elliot's, and Wallace's Brigade.

It was active at Second Manassas, South Mountain, and Sharpsburg before being ordered to North Carolina and later Mississippi. The 22nd was engaged at Jackson, moved to Charleston, and in the spring of 1864 returned to Virginia. It participated in the Petersburg siege south and north of the James River and saw action around Appomattox. The unit reported 18 casualties at Secessionville, 17 at Rappahannock Station, and 84 during the Maryland Campaign. In October, 1863, it contained 360 effectives, and there were 216 killed or wounded at the Petersburg mine explosion. Many were disabled at Sayler's Creek.

On April 9, 1865, it surrendered 11 officers and 77 men. The field officers were Colonels Joseph Abney, William G. Burt, Olin M. Dantzler, David G. Fleming, and Spartan D. Goodlett; Lieutenant Colonels James O'Connell and Thomas C. Watkins; and Majors Miel Hilton, and James N. Shedd, and James M. Stewart.

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171. [Julia Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Joseph\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1830 and died there before 1874.

Julia is living with her mother, Sophia, in the 1860 census and her married name is McClendon. In the 1870 census Julia is married to David McGhee who is 25 years older than she is. There are 6 children in their household, most of whom are assumed to be from David's first marriage. Julia died by the time her mother's estate was probated in 1874 but Hannah McGhee is named in the estate as her only daughter. On the 1880 census Hannah is listed as the niece of Permilia Whittle.

172. [Arren "Arn" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Joseph\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1831 and died after 1874 probably in AL.

"Arn" is on the 1850 census, age 19, living with his mother. "Arren" is listed in Hezekiah's petition for his mother's estate settlement and according to it, he was living in Alabama in 1874. Although there is no proof, Brenda Laney provided the following information from her research.

Oren Whittle is found on the 1860 census in Burnt Corn, Monroe County, AL, age 48. He is married to Mary, presumable Williams, if the Hope Williams living with them is her father. Aaron Whittle is found on the 1870 census in Dennards Bluff, Monroe County, AL, age 50. He is married to Polly and they have a 6 year old daughter named Garada. Neither age matches with Arn nor do they confirm Oren and Aaron are the same people; however, we have not found any other Whittle families with either an Oren or an Aaron and he does state that he was born in SC. No record of military service has been found in the National Archives.

173. [Elly Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Joseph\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1833 and died 20 Sep 1863 at Chickamauga, TN.

It has been published that Elly married Emaline Sawyer. There is an Emaline Sawyer in 1850 that would be the right age. A Confederate record also shows Emaline as his wife. Elly Whittle is on the roster of the 22nd Alabama Infantry, Company K.

(CONFEDERATE.)

W 22 Ala

Elly Whittle
Co K 22 Regt

Name appears on a

Register*

of Officers and Soldiers of the Army of the Confederate States who were killed in battle, or who died of wounds or disease.

Where born _____

When deceased *Sept 20*, 1863

Where and from what cause *Killed*
Chickamauga, Tenn

Amount of money left _____

Effects _____

In whose charge _____

When received *Feb 3*, 1862

Number of certificate _____

Remarks: *See no 123*

*This register appears to have been compiled in the Adjutant and Inspector General's Office from returns furnished by Hospitals and by Regimental and Company Officers.

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(685) *G. L. Webb* Copied.

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22nd Regiment, Alabama Infantry

22nd Infantry Regiment completed its organization at Montgomery, Alabama, in November, 1861, then moved to Mobile. Its companies were raised in the counties of Walker, Clarke, Cherokee, Mobile, Pike, Choctaw, Montgomery, Calhoun, and Randolph.

The unit suffered severe losses at Shiloh under General Gladden, then saw action in Bragg's Kentucky Campaign under General Gardner. Later the 22nd was attached to Deas', G.D. Johnston's, and Brantley's Brigade, Army of Tennessee.

It fought in many conflicts from Murfreesboro to Atlanta, was part of General Hood's winter operations in Tennessee, and ended the war in North Carolina. After the Battle of Shiloh, the regiment reported only 123 men fit for duty. It sustained 94 casualties at Murfreesboro, and lost fifty-three percent of the 371 engaged at Chickamauga.

In December, 1863, it totalled 272 men and 171 arms. It reported 5 killed and 35 wounded in the fight at Ezra Church; many were also disabled at Franklin and Nashville.

The regiment was included in the surrender on April 26, 1865. Its field officers were Colonels Zach C. Deas, B.R. Hart, John C. Marrast, and Harry T. Houlmin; Lieutenant Colonels E. Herbert Armistead, Napoleon B. Rouse, and John Weedon; and Majors Robert B. Armistead, Robert Donnell, and T.M. Prince.

According to the probate of Elly's mother Sophia's estate in 1874, she left their 3 children in Alabama a small inheritance. Since Ruben and Martha are living alone in the 1880 census, and there wasn't an Emaline Whittle, their mother must have died prior to 1880.

- Sophia Whittle was born in 1859. It has been published that she
- 1731 F i married Ira Feaster, moved to Alabama and then on to Texas. This has not been verified.
- + 1732 M ii [Ruben Elly Whittle](#)
- 1733 F iii Martha Whittle was born in 1864. On the 1880 census, she is living with her brother Ruben in Butler County, Alabama.

174. [Eldred Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Joseph\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1835 and died before 1870.

Eldred married Harriett Elizabeth Massey, 1 Dec 1859. On the 1870 census two of their children, Lucy, age 10, and Nancy, age 8, are living apparently with their grandmother, Harriet Massey. This would indicate that both Eldred and Harriet were dead by 1870.

Eldred served in both the 2nd SC Artillery, Company K and the 7th SC Infantry, Company E. He was medically discharged from a Richmond hospital on 25 Sep 1861. His fate after discharge is unknown.

(Confederate.)

N. 7 S. C.

Eldred Whittle

Capt. { *(1st) Company E,*
7 Reg't South Carolina Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

of the organization named above,

for *Sept. & Oct.*, 1861.

Enlisted:

When *April 15*, 1861.

Where *Edge Dist. S.C.*

By whom *S. C. Author.*

Period *12 m.*

Last paid:

By whom *B. F. Lovelace.*

To what time *Aug. 30*, 1861.

Present or absent

Remarks: *Discharged Sept. 25th 1861 By Surgeon of Hopt. Richmond.*

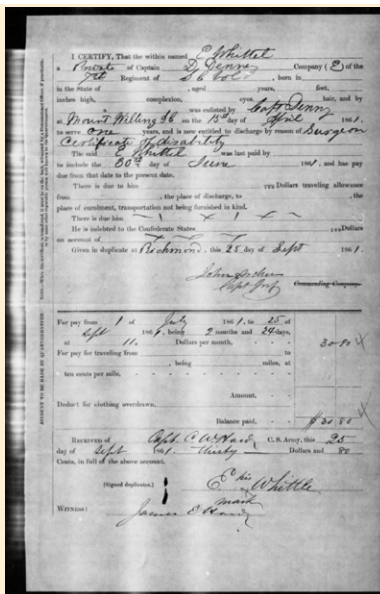
The 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry was mustered into State service for twelve months April 15, 1861, with nine companies, B to K, and accepted into the Confederate States service June 4, 1861. (1st) Company L was added July 2, 1861. The regiment was re-organized with twelve companies, A to M, May 14, 1861, Companies A and M being formed of men who had previously served in other companies of the regiment.

About April 5, 1861, the 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry was consolidated with the 15th Regiment South Carolina Infantry and a part of Beauchamp's South Carolina Reserves and formed the (New) 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry, which was paroled at Greensboro, N. C., May 2, 1865.

Book mark:

R. P. Bennett

(642) Copyist.



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2nd Regiment, South Carolina Artillery

The 2nd Heavy Artillery Regiment was organized at Charleston, South Carolina, during the spring of 1862 using the 2nd South Carolina Artillery Battalion as its nucleus. Many of the men were recruited in the counties of Sumter, Darlington, and Charleston.

Attached to the Department of South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida, the unit served at the forts and batteries around Charleston. In 1865 it was converted to infantry and, assigned to General Elliott's Brigade, took part in the North Carolina Campaign.

During the operations on Morris Island, July 10 to September 6, 1863, the regiment lost 2 killed, 15 wounded, and 1 missing.

It surrendered with the Army of Tennessee. The field officers were Colonels A.D. Frederick and Thomas G. Lamar, Lieutenant Colonel J. Welsman Brown, and Major F.F. Warley.

The children attributed to his marriage, all 4 of which are confirmed by Sophia Whittle's probate, but only 3 by name:

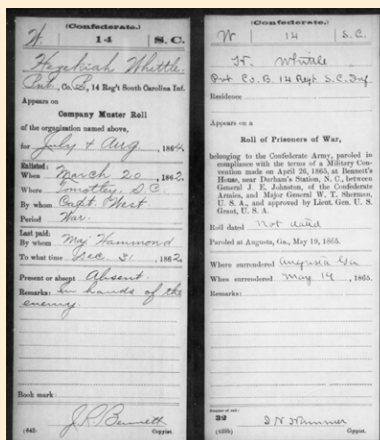
- 1741 F i Hannah T. Whittle - born in 1858.
- 1742 F ii Lucretia "Lucy" Whittle - born in 1860. She is on the 1880 census with her sister Nancy Elizabeth living in the household of Nancy Massey. Lucy married James Humphries.
- 1743 F iii Nancy Elizabeth Whittle - born 10 Jul 1863 and died 22 May 1927 in Rock Hill, SC. We have no marriage record but on the 1900 census she said widowed. She lives with her cousin Robert Massey from 1900 through 1920.
- 1744 M iv Walter Whittle

175. [Permelia Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Joseph\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1837 and died there in 1925.

Permelia was still living at home in the 1870 census. In 1880 Permelia has her sister Julia's daughter Hannah. On the 1920 census, Permelia, age 89, is listed as the great aunt of James C. Anderson. We presume she never married.

176. [Hezekiah K. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Joseph\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 15 Oct 1841 and died 25 Mar 1922 in Emanuel County, GA. Both he and his wife Nancy Ann Harris are buried at Dean Swamp Baptist Cemetery in Springfield, Orangeburg County, SC.

Hezekiah was in the 14th SC Infantry, Company B. He was captured at Hagerstown, MD during the Battle of Antietam and spent considerable time as a prisoner. He was paroled at Augusta, GA.



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14th Regiment, South Carolina Infantry

14th Infantry Regiment, organized in July, 1861, at Lightwoodknot Springs, near Columbia, South Carolina, contained men from Edgefield, Darlington, Laurens, Greenville, Spartanburg, and Kershaw counties.

In October the unit moved to the South Carolina coast near Pocotaligo, and on January 1, 1862, it was under fire from Federal gunboats. Ordered to Virginia in April, the 14th was assigned to General Gregg's and McGowan's Brigade.

It fought in the arduous campaigns of the army from the Seven Days' Battles to Cold Harbor, was involved in the Petersburg siege north and south of the James River, and ended the war at Appomattox.

This regiment lost forty-two percent of the 500 engaged at Gaines' Mill, had 8 killed and 57 wounded at Second Manassas, and had 10 killed and 45 wounded at Shepherdstown. It sustained 145 casualties at Chancellorsville, 209 of the 428 at Gettysburg, 85 at The Wilderness, 72 at Spotsylvania, 52 from May 12 to July 1, 1864, 77 at Deep Bottom, 24 at Fussell's Mill, and 35 at Poplar Springs Church.

The unit surrendered with 18 officers and 246 men. Its commanders were Colonels Joseph N. Brown, James Jones, Samuel McGowan, Abner M. Perrin; Lieutenant Colonels Edward Croft and William D. Simpson; and Majors William J. Carter and Henry H. Harper.

On the enlisted soldiers roster we find Ambrose C., Hezekiah, Ira, Jacob M., Jesse, Joel, John, M.M., Malachi and Thomas Whittle.

Hezekiah returned to Edgefield and married Nancy Ann Harris. Nancy was born 27 Apr 1844 and died 14 Dec 1906. On the 1900 census, Nancy said she had four children, three still living:

- 1761 F i Lula Ann Whittle was born in 22 Sep 1868 and died 16 May 1934. She married Andrew Patrick Fanning in 1890. They had 8 children, 5 of which survived by 1910. Sometime before 1920 they moved to Emanuel, GA. Both Lula and Andrew are buried in Orangeburg, SC.
- + 1762 M ii [Joseph H. Whittle](#)
- 1763 F iii Annie Laura Whittle was born in 1884. She married Claude E. Hydrick and lived in Emanuel County, GA. Hezekiah was living with them on the 1920 census.

Hezekiah was named executor of his mother's estate in 1874.

State of South Carolina
County of Edgefield
To the Hon D L Turner
Judge of Probate of said County and State

The Petition of Hezekiah Whittle respectfully shows to the court. That his mother, Mrs Sophia Whittle late of the County of Edgefield and said state departed this life on the seventh day of November 1874. Seized and possessed at the time of, a small personal estate and some realty.

That she left surviving her as her heirs at law and next of kin her children, Hezekiah Whittle and Permelia Whittle, Hannah a granddaughter aged 4 or 5 years and the only child of Julia McGee a predeceased daughter, Arren Whittle a son residing in Alabama also the three children of Ellie Whittle, a predeceased son, Sophia Whittle, Reuben Whittle and one not known, residents of Alabama. also the children of Eldred Whittle, a predeceased son, Lucy Whittle, Elizabeth Whittle and Walter Whittle and one name not known. Said grandchildren are all minors.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that letters of administration on said estate may be granted to him as the terms usual in such cases. And your petitioner will ever pray...

177. [Milton W. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Joseph?\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 4 Jul 1850 and died there 16 Jan 1902.

Milton, age 7, first appears on the 1860 census living with Sophia Whittle. He was born at least 5 years after the death of Joseph Whittle, so it is not likely he is a child of their marriage. He is still living with Sophia, at age 17, on the 1870 census. He married Elizabeth Gillion and they can be found living in Norris Township next door to Permelia Whittle in 1880. On the 1900 census Elizabeth said she had 9 children, 8 still living. The fact that one of their daughters is named Sophia would suggest that Milton's mother was Sophia Reynolds Whittle. On the other hand, there is no mention of him in Sophia's estate settlement. Milton, Elizabeth and Permelia can be found at the

181. [Hartwell Eugene Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1823 and died there 31 Dec 1877.

Army of the Confederate States
 W. H. Whittle a private of Capt. W. Parker Co. (C.)
 of the 1st Regt. 1st Div. was enlisted at Columbus Ga. by
 C. D. W. Chapman on the 5th day of January 1864. He came for
 the purpose of the War. He was born in Edgefield South
 Carolina in the State of South Carolina is 44 years of age, 5 feet 5
 inches high, fair complexion, blue eyes, light hair, and of
 temperance when enlisted, a Farmer. During the last
 year or there about he has been mostly idle.

Robert Chapman Ensign 1st Div.
 Date 20th Feb. 1864
 W. H. Whittle
 1st Regt. 1st Div. of Georgia

I certify that I have carefully examined W. H. Whittle a private of
 Capt. W. Parker's Co. (C.) 1st Div. and find him incapable
 of performing the duties of a soldier because of mania or less
 constant delirium. The said Whittle is going directly out of the
 station and his military duty. P. Morris Robinson
 is very great. Surgeon C.S.A.

Discharged this 20th day of February 1864 at Camp near Orange Ga.
 A. J. Sniffles Capt. Comd'g the Post

1st Regiment, South Carolina Infantry (McCreary's) (1st Provisional Army)

1st Infantry Regiment, Provisional Army completed its organization at Richmond, Virginia, in August, 1861. Most of the officers and men had served in the 1st South Carolina Volunteers, a six-month command, which was mustered out of service in late July. The men were from Charleston and Columbia, and the counties of Darlington, Marrion, Horry, Aiken, and Florence.

Assigned to General Gregg's and McGowan's Brigade, the unit fought with the Army of Northern Virginia from the Seven Days' Battles to Cold Harbor. It was then involved in the difficult Petersburg siege north and south of the James River and the Appomattox Campaign.

This regiment lost 20 killed and 133 wounded during the Seven Days' Battles, had fifty-three percent disabled of the 283 engaged at Second Manassas and Ox Hill, and had 4 killed and 30 wounded at Sharpsburg. It sustained 73 casualties at Fredericksburg and 104 at Chancellorsville, then lost thirty-four percent of the 328 at Gettysburg. There were 16 killed, 114 wounded, and 7 missing at The Wilderness, and 19 killed, 51 wounded, and 9 missing at Spotsylvania.

On April 9, 1865, it surrendered with 18 officers and 101 men. The field officers were Colonels Maxey Gregg, Daniel H. Hamilton, and Charles W. McCreary; Lieutenant Colonels T. Pinckney Alston, Andrew P. Butler, Edward McCrady, Jr., Washington P. Shooter, and Augustus M. Smith; and Major Edward D. Brailsford.

Hartwell married Edna Ellen Watson, daughter of Amos Watson and Mary Webb, on 22 Oct 1846. Edna was born Mar 1832 and died 3 Nov 1918. The 1870 census lists two complete families of Hartwell Whittles. Hartwell Jr. would only have been 6 years old. The first Hartwell was indexed 30 July 1870, the other 20 Aug 1870. Although there are similar names in both families, they are by no means the same families. The 1st Hartwell is age 48, a logical progression from 1850. The 2nd Hartwell is age 35, 13 years younger than the 1st Hartwell. Both are married to Edna's. This makes it difficult to determine who Hartwell and Edna's children are, particularly since the 2nd Hartwell is gone by 1880. On the 1900 census, Edna said she had 12 children, 8 still living. If so, one of the following children is not correct:

- 1811 F i Sarah Celemly Whittle was born in 1848. She married Daniel Wesley McGee. He was born in 1847 and died in 1932.
- 1812 M ii [Hillary Quincy Whittle](#)
- + 1813 M iii [Amos M. Whittle](#)
Marina Whittle was born 2 Dec 1856 and died 25 Apr 1942. She first married John W. McGee. Her second marriage was to Jim McCarty. Although we do not have a complete list of her children, there was a John McGee, born 1880, living two doors down from her on the 1900 census. Our thanks to Brenda Laney for finding this information and we do have Marina's death certificate.
- 1814 F iv
- 1815 F v Florilla Whittle was born about 1860.
- 1816 F vi Mollie Whittle was born about 1862.
- 1817 F vii Katherine Whittle was born about 1864.
- + 1818 M viii [Hartwell Eugene Whittle, Jr.](#)
- + 1819 M ix [Henry L. Whittle](#)

18110 M x Meady C. Whittle was born about 1870. He appears on the 1880 and 1900 census living with his mother Edna. He died 23 Jul 1938 and his death certificate says he was single.

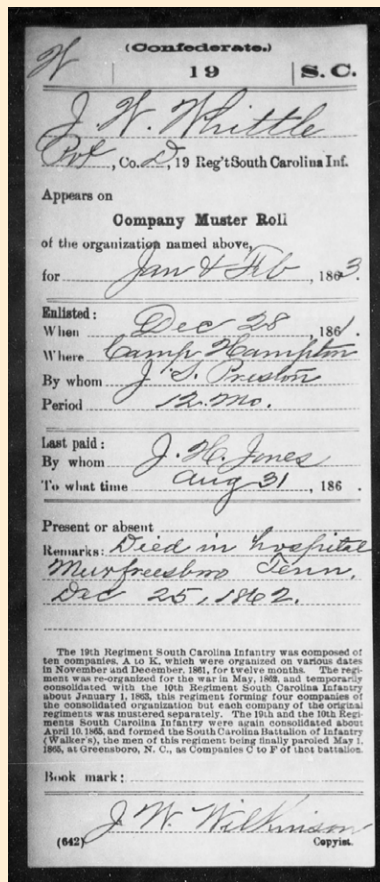
18111 M xi John L. Whittle was born in 1871. We have no further records.

+ 18112 M xii [Calvin Monroe Whittle](#)

18113 M xiii James B. Whittle was born in 1875. We have no further records.

184. [John Wesley Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1832 and died 25 Dec 1862 at Murfreesboro, TN.

John married Elizabeth Brown (verified by the death certificates of both of their children) who bore him two sons before he enlisted in the 19th SC Infantry, Company D. He died of disease on Christmas Day, 1862.



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Elizabeth and their 2 boys are not found on the 1870 census. On the 1880 census it is likely that Elizabeth has remarried Wesley McGee. They list a step-son named Floyd. Both Elizabeth and Floyd are the right ages to be our 1860 family. On the 1910 census, Elizabeth McGee, age 76, is living with her son Allison.

+ 1841 M i [Allison W. Whittle](#)

+ 1842 M ii [Floyd Wesley Whittle](#)

185. [William Manchester Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1834 and died there 9 Mar 1885.

William Manchester married his first cousin [Bethany Marthana Whittle](#), a daughter of Elijah Whittle. William served the Confederacy in the 7th SC Infantry, Company C and E and was wounded at the Battle of Fredricksburg.

(Confederate.)	
7	S. C.
W. Whittle	
Pos.	(2d) Company E, 7 Reg't South Carolina Infantry.
Appears on Company Muster Roll of the organization named above, for Jan'y & Feb'y, 1863.	
Enlisted:	Aug 9, 1862.
When	So. Ca.
Where	By whom My Libs
Period	Mar
Last paid:	By whom B. F. Lowlace
To what time	Sept 1, 1862.
Present or absent	Absent
Remarks: Was wounded at Fredricksburg. Sent to hospital	
<p>The 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry was mustered into State service for twelve months April 15, 1861, with nine companies, E to K, and accepted into the Confederate States service June 4, 1861. (1st) Company L was added July 2, 1861. The regiment was re-organized with twelve companies, A to M, May 14, 1862, Companies A and M being formed of men who had previously served in other companies of the regiment.</p> <p>About April 9, 1862, the 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry was consolidated with the 18th Regiment South Carolina Infantry and a part of Blanchard's South Carolina Reserves and formed the (New) 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry, which was paroled at Greensboro, N. C., May 2, 1865.</p>	
Book mark:	W. W. Potter
(642)	Copyist.

(Confederate.)	
7	S. C.
W. Whittle	
Pos.	(2d) Company E, 7 Reg't South Carolina Infantry.
Appears on Company Muster Roll of the organization named above, for Nov & Dec, 1862.	
Enlisted:	Aug 9, 1862.
When	So. Ca.
Where	By whom Libs
Period	Mar
Last paid:	By whom Lowlace
To what time	Sept 1, 1862.
Present or absent	Absent
Remarks: Wounded at Fredricksburg. Sent to hospital	
<p>The 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry was mustered into State service for twelve months April 15, 1861, with nine companies, E to K, and accepted into the Confederate States service June 4, 1861. (1st) Company L was added July 2, 1861. The regiment was re-organized with twelve companies, A to M, May 14, 1862, Companies A and M being formed of men who had previously served in other companies of the regiment.</p> <p>About April 9, 1862, the 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry was consolidated with the 18th Regiment South Carolina Infantry and a part of Blanchard's South Carolina Reserves and formed the (New) 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry, which was paroled at Greensboro, N. C., May 2, 1865.</p>	
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(Confederate.)

7 S. C.

Wm Whittle

(2d) Company E.,
7 Reg't South Carolina Infantry.

Appear on

Company Muster Roll

of the organization named above,

for *July & Aug*, 1863.

Enlisted:

When *Aug 9*, 1862.

Where *S. C.*

By whom *Gibbs*

Period *mar*

Last paid:

By whom *Capt Lovelace*

To what time *Sept 1*, 1862.

Present or absent *Absent*

Remarks: *Wounded at Fredericksburg
Dec 13. Sent to Hospital*

The 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry was mustered into State service for twelve months April 15, 1861, with nine companies, B to K, and accepted into the Confederate States service June 4, 1861. (1st) Company L was added July 2, 1861. The regiment was re-organized with twelve companies, A to M, May 14, 1861. Companies A and M being formed of men who had previously served in other companies of the regiment.

About April 9, 1862, the 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry was consolidated with the 11th Regiment South Carolina Infantry and a part of Blanchard's South Carolina Reserves and formed the (New) 7th Regiment South Carolina Infantry, which was paraded at Greensboro, N. C., May 2, 1862.

Book mark:

Wm Pata
(642) Copyist.

(CONFEDERATE)

W 7 SC

Whittle

pvt. Co. E. 7th Regt SC.

Appears on a

LIST

of casualties, in McLaw's Division,
in the battles before Fredericksburg
Va., Dec. 11 to 13, 1862.

List dated *near Fredb's Va*
Dec 18, 1862.

Remarks:

wounded severely

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() 1371 Copyist.

Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/72081277>

He survived the war, returned to Edgefield County, and continued raising his family. Bethany and William lived on Padgett Pond Road in Monetta, SC. On the 1870 census, Bethany's mother Nancy, age 75, is living with them.

+ 1851 M i [Levi Burdette Whittle](#)

Missouri M. Whittle was born in 1856 and died 30 Mar 1930. Thanks to some new research conducted by Brenda Laney, Missouri married John Matthews and they can be found on the 1880 census living in Norris Township under the name "Mathis". John was born 12 Jan 1840 and died 8 Feb 1915 per death certificate. One of Brenda's aunts remembers hearing about "Aunt Missouri Matthews".

+ 1853 M iii [Manchester C. Whittle](#)

Melbrae Adella Whittle was born in June 1863 and died in 1931. She married John Willie Asbill. He was born in 1857 and died in 1932. They had 3 boys and 8 girls.

Nancy "Nannie" Whittle was born about 1867 and died in 1940. She married Michael M. Asbill, born in 1854 and died in 1909. They had 1 boy and 2 girls. Adella and Nannie lived next door to each other in the 1900 census.

Ida Bethany Whittle was born about 1869. She married William Jarvis Asbill. He was born in 1870 and died in 1949. On the 1900 census they had 2 boys.

Ida's great granddaughter, Cheryl Girard, has this to say about what her family always said about Ida.

"I just know that everyone that knew them (Ida and WJ) says Ida was a short, redheaded Irishwoman, proud of her heritage. I inherited her shortness. argh!

I think that the only things that the descendant of John Willie Asbill and I have agreed on so far is there is concrete proof that his full name was actually William Jarvis Asbill, that his family thought his name was "Willie Jarvis" but called him Jarvis, that he had a son and grandson named William Jarvis after him, that he also married one of Wm Manchester Whittle's daughters, and that he lived in the same area as the rest of Aaron and Elizabeths family in the same date range.

At this time I think he was the "Willie" son in the 1870 census and her John Willie was the "John", and was probably 12 year old Ida Asbill's brother. Granddaughter Ida Asbill was living with Elizabeth at that time. Her mother had died a few years before this census, but a couple of years after the 1860 census.

1856 F vi

She thinks it's more likely that William Jarvis was the son of Hill, son of Jarvis, (because he has the name Jarvis in his name) and thinks the census taker made a mistake and called John Willie a 12 year old Willie AND 10 year old John. (split one son into 2 with different ages?) Or that John is just an unknown person who disappears after that census? Either way, he wouldn't be a Jr and his birthdate was definitely before 1870. On one census they list him as being that young. On the same census they list Ida as being 10-11 years younger, too.

Taking into account the rest of the census reports, and my mothers memories of her grandad, plus knowing Ida's real age, he would have been born in the late 1850's. It looks like he split apart from the rest of the family after his mothers death. My mom doesnt know why, she just knows that she never knew any of her grandads extended family, and he never would speak of them. I think thats sad.

She also remembers how sad he was after Ida was gone, and would hold her and cry and tell her how much like his Ida she was. He really missed her. She was his life. I think that thats why I want his rightful place to be found in history. My mom made him a real person to me, and not just a name in my past. I also know that there was a lawsuit by Abner and Elizabeth's children against each other over their deceased fathers land. One of them was a "Willie", not John Willie or J Willie, the name the other womans ancestor used."

186. [Meady Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1838 and probably died about 1862.

Meady is on the 1850 census living at home. His name is "Meda" on the 1860 census and he is married to Ellen Floyd, age 21. There is a M. M. Whittle that served in the 19th Regiment, Company F who is listed in Chapman's History of Edgefield. The report says that he left camp 1 Dec 1861 "too sick to return in time". We assume however, that M.M. is Marshall M. Whittle, son of Alfred Whittle.

There is an Ellen Whittle on the 1870 census, age 31, who has a son named Luther. She is a cottonmill worker living in the household of William and Melvina Floyd. She and Luther are living in the household of Gary and Elizabeth Floyd in 1880 and she claims to be a widow.

The evidence does seem to be that Luther is his only son and that Ellen never remarried. Ellen Whittle is living with her son Luther in the 1900 census.

+ 1861 M i [Luther Whittle](#)

187. [Phoebe Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1839.

Phoebe is the name found on the 1850 census. On the 1860 "Sarah" and Edney Whittle are living in the household of Jacob Shirey. John Whittle was alive in 1860, so it is possible that these 2 children are not his. There is a 2 year difference in age between Phoebe and Sarah which makes it difficult to assume they are one and the same. Sarah could be Seaborn by mistake. Edney's age however does match. We have no other information about Phoebe.

188. [Seaborn Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1841 and probably died before 1910.

Seaborn is found on the 1870 and 1880 census married to Lucretia Rodgers, daughter of Francis "Frank" M. Rodgers and Jane Boddie Rodgers. For folks looking for information about the Edgefield Rodgers family we highly recommend visiting <https://web.archive.org/web/20110201161935/http://old-billy-rodgers.com/>.

Sometime before 1900 Seaborn quit farming, moved his family to Augusta, GA and became a teamster by trade. Lucretia, age 69, is living with her son Willie on the 1910 GA census.

1881 F i Sallie Whittle was born in 1868. She is presumed to have died before 1900 based on Lucretia's statement in the 1900 census.

+ 1882 M ii [William M. "Willie" Whittle](#)

1883 M iii Frank Whittle was born in 1876. He is presumed to have died before 1900 as Lucretia says she had 4 children, 2 still living (William and Alonzo are still at home).

1884 M iv Alonzo Whittle was born in 1882. He is presumed to have died before 1910 as Lucretia says she had 4 children, 1 still living and she is living with her son Willie.

189. [Edna "Edney" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1842.

On the 1860 Edney is living in the household of Jacob Shirey. John Whittle was alive in 1860, so it is possible that this is a different Edney, however, her age matches the 1850 census. We have no other information about Edney.

1810. [James Pinckney Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1852.

"Pink" is the son of John and his 2nd wife Elizabeth (thought to be Brown). James was likely named after Charles Pinckney, governor of South Carolina and a principal architect and signor of the US Constitution. On the 1880 SC census he is listed with his wife Amanda Walker (verified on his son John W's death certificate) and their two children. We have no confirmed information after 1880.

18101 F i Cora Whittle was born in 1875.

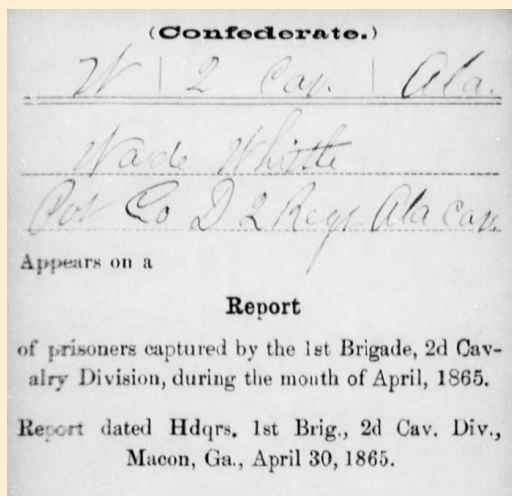
18102 M ii John W. Whittle - born 15 Mar 1877 and died 25 Jan 1948.

1811. [Rufus Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1854.

Rufus is living in Ward, SC on the 1880 census. He has married Emmaline S. (unknown) and his mother "Lizzie" is living with them, no children are listed. Rufus has not been found after 1880.

219. [Wade Hampton Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Maston\)](#) was born about 1846 in Barbour County, AL.

Wade is listed on the 1880 census along with 5 of his sisters in Barbour County, AL living next door to Thomas and Sophronia Warren. There is a Private Wade Whittle on the roster of the 2nd Regiment, Alabama Cavalry. He is likely Maston's son. He was captured at the end of the war. Wade is not found after 1880 and apparently he never married. He may have moved to Texas with his sisters and died prior to 1900.



Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/6686901>

2nd Regiment, Alabama Cavalry

2nd Cavalry Regiment was organized during May, 1862, at Montgomery, Alabama. Its companies were from the counties of Calhoun, Shelby, Greene, Montgomery, Tuscaloosa, Butler, Coosa, Monroe, and Dallas.

The regiment operated for a time in Florida, then skirmished in Mississippi under General Ruggles before being assigned to Ferguson's Brigade. Under this command it was active in the Atlanta Campaign, the defense of Savannah, and the campaign of the Carolinas. Later the 2nd Cavalry formed part of President Davis' escort when he moved southward during the last days of the war.

It surrendered at Forsyth, Georgia, in May, 1865, with about 450 officers and men. Its

commanders were Colonels John N. Carpenter, R.G. Earle, and F.W. Hunter; Lieutenant Colonels James Cunningham, Josiah J. Pegues, and John P. West; and Majors Richard W. Carter and Leroy Napier.

2111. [Elizabeth R. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Maston\)](#) was born 19 May 1849 in Barbour County, AL and died 11 Aug 1885 in Butler County, AL (dates not verified).

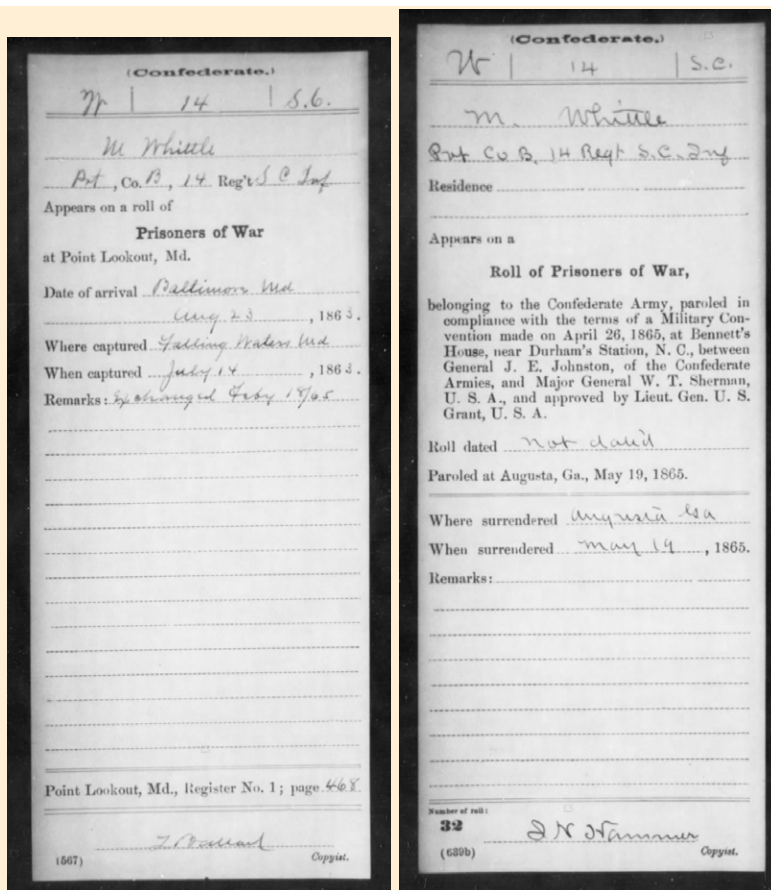
There are reports on Ancestry.com that Elizabeth married Elias Yancy McQueen on 9 Jan 1871. E. Yancy McQueen and his wife Elizabeth are found on the 1870 census with their 5 children.

232. [William Malachi Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Ira\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1841 and died there 20 Dec 1919.

Malachi served the Confederacy, along with his father, in Company B, 14th SC Infantry. He was a POW from at least Nov 1863 until paroled 19 May 1865 at Augusta, GA. According to his death certificate he was single.

(Confederate.)	
W. 14-Inf S.C.	
W. Whittle	
Capt. Co. B. 14. Reg. S.C. Inf.	
Appears on a	
Roll of Prisoners of War	
at Old Capitol Prison, [Washington, D. C.,] July 23, 1863.	
Roll dated	
Not dated, 186	
Where captured	Falling Waters Md.
When captured	July 14, 1863.
Remarks:	
Number of roll:	
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(Confederate.)	
W. 14 S.C.	
W. Whittle	
Capt. Co. B. 14 Regt S.C.	
Name appears as signature to a	
Roll of Prisoners of War	
paroled at Point Lookout, Md., Feb. 18, 1865.	
Roll dated Headquarters St. Mary Dist., Point Lookout, Md., Feb. 18, 1865.	
Where captured	Falling Waters
When captured	July 14, 1863.
Remarks:	
Number of roll:	
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235. [James Wesley Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Ira\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 1 Jan 1846 and died there 14 July 1916.

James married Civilla Miller, daughter of Mary Ann Whittle and James Daniel Miller. Civilla was born Jul 1854 and died 12 Apr 1907. The children of their marriage are:

- 2351 F i Sallie A. Whittle born 6 May 1873 and died 12 Feb 1957. She married Joseph T White born 30 Sep 1861 and died 11 May 1930. They had 8 children. Both are buried in Riverside Cemetery.
- + 2352 M ii [Lawrence Edward Whittle](#)
- 2353 F iii Mary Alberta Whittle born 15 Aug 1876 and died 16 Nov 1942. She married Augusta "Gus" P. Hill. They had 4 children. Mary is buried in Sumter Cemetery.
- + 2354 M iv [Lewis Simpson Whittle](#)
- 2355 F v Rosa V. Whittle born Dec 1884 and died 27 Jan 1974. She apparently first married James Allen Smith but on the 1910 census she is married to Sumter Daniel Prater. He was the son of James Hezekiah Prater and Mary Ann Francis Whittle. There appears to be a significant age difference because Sumter was born 14 Jan 1857 and died 11 Feb 1939.
- 2356 F vi Cora Lee Whittle born 22 Feb 1886 and died 7 Jul 1970. She married George Alexander Cumalander born 10 Jun 1880 and died 4 Feb 1945. They had at least 3 children. Most of the family is buried in Sumter Cemetery.

+ 2357 M vii [Charles Brown Whittle](#)

237. [Levi "Lee" David Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Ira\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 18 Oct 1854 and died in Saluda County 22 Feb 1928.

Our thanks to Claude Vernon Medlin, Jr. for his research on the family of Lee and Dona. Claude's work is published on The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (LDS) website. Lee married Idonia "Dona" Lucretia Bodie. Dona was born Jul 1861 and died 21 Apr 1950, age 90. Dona was the daughter of Chesley Bodie and Jane Rodgers. Their children are:

- 2371 F i Georgia Florence Whittle was born 6 Feb 1876. She married (1) Artemus W. Kennerly and (2) Walter Bonneau Kennerly.
- 2372 M ii Ira Cromwell Whittle - born May 1880.
Corrie Civilia Whittle was born 28 Aug 1881 and died 27 Jun 1970,
- 2373 F iii according to research done by LDS. She married Joseph Marion Whittle, born 18 Aug 1879 and died 27 Oct 1950.
- + 2374 M iv [Buford Ferrell Whittle](#)
- 2375 F v Willa Lee Whittle born 16 Nov 1886 and died 28 May 1981. She married William Lee Bodie (1883-1960).
- 2376 F vi Callie Idonia Whittle born 4 Aug 1892. She married Noah B. Banks.
- 2377 F vii Vera Ina Whittle born 15 May 1899. She married Curtis George Berry.

238. [Martha "Mattie" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Ira\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1863 and died after 1910.

Mattie is living with her brother Lee in 1880. She married Noah Eidson sometime after 1880. Noah was born Dec 1859. They had one son named Perry born May 1885.

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The South Carolina Whittle Families

Fourth Generation (continued)

The Civil War Years

61. [Nancy Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, James C.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1813 and died sometime after 1870.

Based on a complaint filed 19 Feb 1851 found in the Padgett Family history we have proof that Nancy was the daughter of Margaret Padgett and James C. Whittle. "...the children of his pre-deceased daughter Margaret or Peggy Whittle and James Whittle, three in number of whom your Oratrix (Nancy Rucker) is one." There is no evidence that Margaret was married to someone else before James.



Descendants of Josiah Padgett 1 (Before 1755-1811) Volume 1 and 11

Compiled by James Suddath Padgett, Jr

Nancy married James Madison Norris, Esquire and they had 3 children before he died in 1842. She then married Henry Rucker. The continuation of the petition against William Padgett spells this out loud and clear.

Children of William Paget (Patchit) (28996)

a certain pain therein to be limited to be and appear in this Honorable Court to answer the premises and further to do perform and abide such order and decree as by your Honors shall be pronounced herein. And as in duty bound your complainants will ever pray to."

Later in Equity Court in Edgefield County the judge says that he caused the parties to appear before him in his office. He writes of this hearing:

"In obedience to the order of reference in this case I caused the parties to appear before me at my office on Thursday, the 3rd. Inst. Mr. Griffin offered in evidence the sale bill of the estate of Job Padget, deceased, due 25th December 1837, which shows, as its footing up the sum of nine thousand six hundred and ninety and 00/100 dollars also Wm. Padget's returns as Adm. The Defendant admitted the receipt of the additional sum of one hundred and ninety five dollars in 1837.--It was agreed to by the parties that James M. Norris was the first husband of Mrs. Rucker, one of the plaintiffs in this case--that he died in 1842, and was survived by his wife Nancy (since Mrs. Rucker) and three children--that his widow, Nancy, administered upon his estate. The Defendants offered in evidence the returns of Administratrix upon James M. Norris estate, to show the solvency of said estate and its sufficiency to meet all claims made against it. From these returns it appears that this estate was due 16th Dec 1843 and amounted to \$2351.34. Add an additional receipt for 1842 of \$240.00 making the value of the estate \$2591.34. The same returns show that the amounts paid out in the different years from 1842 to 1847 did not consume the interest upon the value of estate above given. [Job Padget died intestate, in the year 1837 leaving ten distributees of his estate, Mrs. Rucker being one of the three children of Mrs. Margaret Whittle. One of these distributees is entitled to 1/3 of 1/10 of said estate]. The defendant produced a note for \$1625.00 dated 24th Feb 1837 due ten months after date and signed by James M. Norris, Nathan Norris and Stanmore Watson. This note was alleged to be a sealed note. The genuineness of the signatures was admitted--the seal was denied by plaintiffs. This note is credited 13th March 1838 with \$604.00. This note is credited 25th Dec 1845 with \$383.67. This note is set up by way of discount McGehee (having been sworn) said that he was interested in this estate--that he married one of the daughters of Job Padget, viz, Jane--that he was living when the property was sold on Job Padget's place--was present when Wm. Padget made the sale--saw old Nathan Norris there who attended to the business of taking notes for Wm. Padget--saw Mr Norris give his note--his father N. Norris and S. Watson signed with him-- he was standing at the table when the note was drawn--remembers hearing Wm. Padget tell him to make it a sealed note--remembers that he did make it a sealed note. Mr. McGehee further said that he does not recollect any person who was present except himself and the makers of the note--that Esquire Norris wrote the note--was certain that Esquire Norris was present when the note was signed--that all the signers-- signed at the same time--did not know whether the note was written before or at that

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Descendants of Josiah Padget 1 (Before 1755-1811) Volume 1 and 11

Compiled by James Suddath Padget, Jr

On the 1850 census, we find the two Norris boys and three children from her marriage to Henry. Her sister Mary Ann is also living with them, not with her father James C. Sometime before 1860, Henry and Nancy pull up stakes and move to Lafayette County, Florida. Henry was a Private in the 1st Battalion, Florida Special Cavalry and experienced the following action:

1st Battalion, Florida Special Cavalry

1st Special Infantry Battalion, originally mustered as artillery, was organized during the fall of 1861 with six companies which totalled 577 officers and men. The unit served in Florida, Georgia, and in the Charleston area before fighting at Olustee in February, 1864. During June it moved to Virginia and became part of the 10th Florida Infantry Regiment.

Lieutenant Colonels Daniel P. Holland and Charles F. Hopkins and Major William W. Scott were in command.

Henry may have died during the war. Nancy is living alone in Cedar Key, Florida on the 1870 census. She is indexed under the name "Racker". From the 1850 and 1860 census, the children of Nancy Whittle Norris Rucker are:

- 611 F i Sophia Norris - she married James Rucker about 1853
- 612 M ii William Norris - born in 1838.
- 613 M iii Nathan Norris - born in 1839.
- 614 M iv B. Franklin Rucker - born in 1846.
- 615 F v Chaney B. Rucker - born in 1847.

616 F vi Georgiana Rucker - born in 1849.

617 F vii Margaret Rucker - born in 1852.

618 F viii Emma Rucker - born in 1856.

63. [Mary Ann Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, James C.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 27 Nov 1827 and died there 29 Mar 1918.

Mary Ann married James Daniel R. Miller after 1850. On the 1860 census 3 children are listed along with Mary Ann's father James C. Whittle. JDR was born Jan 1830 and died in 1913. He served the Confederacy in 2nd Regiment SC Artillery, Company K.

It is interesting to note that Mary Ann said both of her parents were born in South Carolina on both the 1880 and 1900 census. No evidence that James C. might have migrated from Virginia. On the 1900 census Mary Ann said she was the mother of 10 children only 5 of which were still living.

631 F i Ann Civilla Miller was born about 1854. She married [James Wesley Whittle](#), son of Ira Whittle from the James Whittle, Jr. line.

632 F ii Albrotha Miller was born about 1857.

633 M iii Luther Miller was born about 1860.

634 M iv James Miller, Jr. was born about 1863.

635 M v Robert Miller was born about 1865.

71. [Stancil L. Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1816 and died at Fort Payne, DeKalb County, Alabama in 1904.

Our thanks to Amberys R. Whittle, who provided the following information about his family history. Amberys has his own family website which you can visit for more information about his family. <https://www.genealogy.com/ftm/w/h/i/Amberys-R-Whittle-Georgia/index.html>

"We know that Stancil (Stancel, Stansil, Stansel, Stansell) L. Whittle was born in South Carolina about 1816 (the present grave marker has 1809) by the fact that the census records of 1850-1880 all have that as his place of birth. The 1900 census record has Georgia instead, but the information must have been given by someone else, who perhaps remembered that he once lived in that state. Other than census records, the principal document for Stancil's descent is a form letter filled in by a grandson of Ambrose and Rebecca Whittle, Chesley Whittle, Jr., then living in Fort Payne, Alabama, and returned to W. O. Whittle in Tennessee. Chesley heads the list of his father's brothers with Stancil, who apparently was the first born son."

Left to wonder who Owens Whittle is. This is the first and only reference to his name.

"Stancil appears on record along with his wife, Sarah, in 1842 in Sumter County, Georgia, where they are members of Friendship Baptist Church, 13 miles from Americus. Census records suggest that Martha and perhaps William may have been born of this marriage, although they are usually assigned to Mary, the wife with whom he was living by 1850 in Cherokee County, Alabama, Sarah apparently having died. Mary and John are born of this second marriage. During his long lifetime Stancil would have three wives."

711	F	i	Martha Whittle was born in Edgefield County in 1839. She married John H. Swader, 28 Jan 1870, DeKalb County, AL.
+ 712	M	ii	William Whittle
713	F	iii	Mary E. Whittle was born in 1844. She married G. W. King, 29 Sept 1881 in DeKalb County, AL.
+ 714	M	iv	John Wesley Whittle

"Stancil, always listed as a farmer, and Lucinda buy and sell land, in nearby DeKalb County, during these years. The Huntsville Land Office issued a patent to Stancil for 120 acres as late as 2 Nov 1891. Lucy Whittle appears in the 1880 census, although her grave marker at Stewart Cemetery, near Fort Payne, Alabama, reads 1825-1875. Stancil would live on until 1904, with only daughter Sarah Ellen in the household then in DeKalb County. He too is buried at Stewart Cemetery on Lookout Mountain."

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- + 716 M vi [Ambrose B. Whittle](#)
- 717 M vii [George W. Whittle](#)
- 718 F viii Esther "Easter" A. Whittle was born in 1858. She married W.N. Jones on 26 Sept 1896 in DeKalb County.
- 719 F ix Nancy J. Whittle was born in 1860. She married J.G. Sanders on 11 Jan 1886 in DeKalb County.
- 7110 F x Elizabeth "Betty" Whittle was born in 1864. Said to have married Dos Tidwell but evidence is lacking.
- + 7111 M xi [David Wilson Whittle](#)
- + 7112 M xii [Joseph Hazel "Hazy" Whittle](#)
- 7113 F xiii Evaline Whittle was born in 1868. She married Charles L. Hester on 8 June 1890 in DeKalb County.
- 7114 F xiv Sarah Ellen Whittle was born in 1875. She was still living at home in the 1900 census. She married J. Marion Thomas 29 Oct 1905.

72. [Lydia Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1818 and probably died before 1880.

Lydia was probably named after Ambrose's sister. She married Thomas Goodwin. On the 1850 census there are 5 children listed. By 1860 she is listed as head of household with 6 children and she lives next door to her brother Mark. Lydia is not found on the 1880 census and apparently never remarried.

- 721 M i James Goodwin was born about 1835.
- 722 M ii William Goodwin was born about 1836.
- 723 M iii John Goodwin was born about 1838.
- 724 F iv Sarah Goodwin was born about 1839. She is still living at home in the 1870 census.
- 725 M v Daniel Goodwin was born about 1848.
- 726 M vi Simeon Goodwin was born about 1854.

73. [Mark Berry Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1820 and died there in 1863.

We do not have a lot of information about Mark because he died at age 43. He apparently did not die in the Civil War because no service record has been found. Here is what his grandson had to say about the family in a letter send to W.O. Whittle.

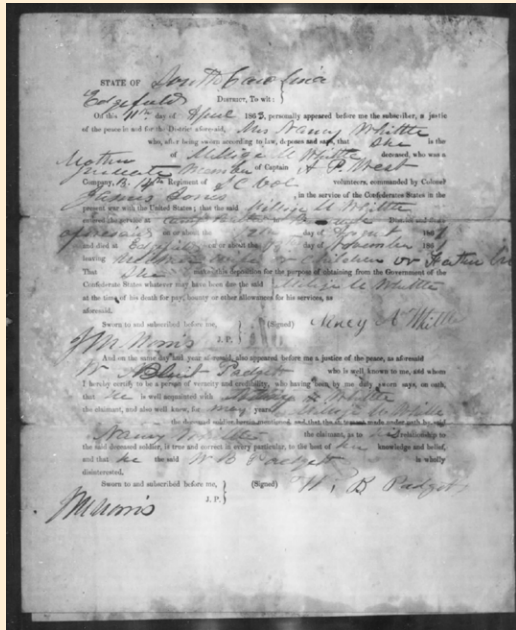
Dear Sir's will let my list
 as far as I know
 Great Grandfather Ambrose
 Children John & Emanuel Mark Obedge
 Mary Anne
 Grandfather Ambrose Had 6 children
 Ambrose Obedge Ben Joseph Mack
 & Rosley Jane Betty Mary
 Father Mack Children James Joseph Obedge
 Lucy Maggie William Betty Anne
 Sally Emma
 Great Uncle John left these parts and went
 to Ala just after the Civil War
 Emanuel Children Jefferson Savannah
 George Maggie
 Obedge I died in the Civil War
 Uncle Ambrose Children Obedge Mark Charles
 Albert Edgar Abner Charles
 Bessie Betty
 Ben Children Mabel Mary Ben Hannah
 Walter Annie
 Joseph left Ala and went to Arkansas
 just after the Civil War
 Joseph's Children James Anna
 Mack
 the only one of Uncle Emanuel's children living
 is Mark B. Whittle of Blacksville Ala
 he may give you more correct data

My Mother was a Whittle also
 name Anna
 Her Grandfather name James Obedge
 a Colonel in the Civil War
 James children Mabel Mary Anne
 Malachi, J. Lord, Jesse David
 Smith child, Edgar. Edmund Anna
 Sister there is others whose name
 I do not know
 William Whittle who also lived on Clouds
 Creek I met no relation of mine
 Had one son named B. Whittle was
 children James Lela Mary
 the dates of Birth and Death I'm
 sorry I can't give
 as fire destroyed all the old records
 there is nothing accurate as I give
 to you as handed down to me by
 memory
 Joe M. Whittle

Courtesy Calvin M. McClung Collection, Knox County Public Library, Knoxville, TN.

Mark married Nancy Ann Warren, the daughter of Joshua Warren. They had 9 children before he died:

- 731 M i Millege Malachi Whittle was born in 1843 and died 8 Nov 1861, apparently from disease. Several documents found at the National Archives verify that his father was dead when this payment was made to his mother.



+	732	M	ii	Ambrose C. Whittle
+	733	M	iii	Joseph M. Whittle
+	734	M	iv	Benjamin Perkins Whittle
+	735	M	v	Mackalilly Pope Whittle
	736	F	vi	Chesley Jane Whittle was born about 1855.
	737	F	vii	Mary I. Whittle was born in 1856.
	738	F	viii	Betty Whittle was born in 1858.

739 M ix Elbert Whittle was born in 1859 but was not on the 1870 census.

74. [John Berry Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 6 Apr 1820 and died 7 Oct 1899 in Bowie County, Texas.

John and his wife Belinda are on both the 1850 and 1860 census in Edgefield County. By the beginning of the Civil War they had 8 children. Belinda was born in 1820 and probably died about 1864. John has not been found on any 1870 census.

On the 1880 census, a John B. Whittle shows up living in Bowie County, Texas. He states he was born in South Carolina and his son A.J. from the 1860 SC census is the same age as Andrew Jackson Whittle. He further states that both his sons were born in SC. Thanks to our chief Texas researcher, Glen Collier, we finally have some proof. In an article published by the Red River County Historical Society in 1986, there is a biographical sketch for Andrew Jackson Whittle. It says that he is the son of John and Belinda Whittle of Edgefield County, Ridge, SC.

By 1880, John has married a young widow named Martha A. Shaw. Her 2 children are listed as step daughters. A new family is in the making for John B and Martha. Courtesy of Granville and Patricia Murphy we have the following information about Martha Rodgers Shaw Whittle Phillips.

Martha Ann Rodgers was born in Texas, August, 1853 to James W Rodgers and unknown mother. Her father and stepmother and probably her mother, along with several siblings and other relatives are buried in Old Union Cemetery, Bowie County, Texas. There the name is spelled "Rogers", without a "D" although every historical document on any of these people does have Rodgers spelled with a "D".

Martha married a Mr. Shaw in Bowie County, Texas sometime after the 1870 US Census. We think it was Charles Shaw who was an older widowed man with several children. Martha Rodgers and Mr. Shaw had two girls born in Bowie County, Texas, Susan Payne Shaw, born 12-31-1872 (FAG# 5651589) and Mary Shaw, born 8-8 1875 (FAG# 20899511).

After Mr. Shaw died, late 1870's, Martha married John Berry Whittle in Bowie County, Texas. He also was widowed with several children. Martha and John Whittle had four surviving children, all born in Bowie County, Texas. Mark Whittle, son, born Jan. 1881; Maxie N Whittle, dau, born July 29, 1885; Lou Onie Whittle, dau, born Feb. 1888 and Benjamin Buel Whittle, son, born May 28, 1893.

She was located in the 1910 US Census in Jefferson County, Oklahoma with her son Buel B Whittle, under the name, Martha A "Philips" living with her step-son and family. In June, 1917, she was living with her son Buel and his wife in Talala, Rogers Co. OK. according to his WW I Registration. There is a letter from her granddaughter, Myrtle May, stating that Martha died there (14 Aug 1917) after falling and breaking a hip.

The children of the marriage of John and Belinda are:

William Whittle - born 1842. No records have been found after 1860.

741 M i He may be the William Whittle on the roster of the the 7th SC

Infantry.

- + 742 M ii [Jacob M. Whittle](#)
- 743 M iii [Tillman Whittle](#)
- + 744 M v [Daniel Whittle](#)

Susannah "Sarah" A. Whittle - born Nov 1850, she married Isaac H. Satterwhite. From the Satterwhite Family - Book by Lonnie Deaton, Troup, Harris, Jones Co. GA, Chambers, Russell, Dale Co. AL, Harrison, Hopkins Cos. TX, Washita Co. OK Submitted by Lonnie Deaton, we have the following information:

- 745 F vi "They lived in Cass County, TX. Isaac Satterwhite was born 2-7-1815 Harris Co., GA. He married Lucretia "Lucy" Hollis 10-20-1836 in Harris Co., GA. "Lucy" was born 2-12-1819 in GA. Isaac was a farmer. This family appears in the 1850 census of Harris Co., GA. By 1860, Isaac and family have moved to Harrison Co., TX. They appear in that census in HH 233, living next door to William Hollis. Isaac is farming and is recorded as owing real estate valued at \$2500 and personal property valued at \$1030. Isaac 2nd married Susannah A. Whittle after 1865. Susannah is buried in Cowan cemetery near Manchester, TX. Her parents were John B. Whittle of Edgefield, SC, and "Belindy Rebecca." Isaac died in 1882 in Clarksville, Red River Co., TX. "Lucy" died 8-15-1879 in Harrison Co., TX. She was the daughter of William Hollis and Ruth T. Roberson (Robertson?). The family appears in the 1880 census of Red River Co., TX. They are living in HH 315. Isaac is farming."

- 746 F vii Rebecca A. Whittle - was born in 1854, and we have no further records.

- 747 F viii Catherine Whittle - was born in 1856, and we have no further records.

- + 748 M x [John Franklin Whittle](#)
- + 749 M ix [Andrew Jackson "Jack" Whittle](#)

The children of the marriage of John and Martha Ann Rodgers Shaw Whittle are:

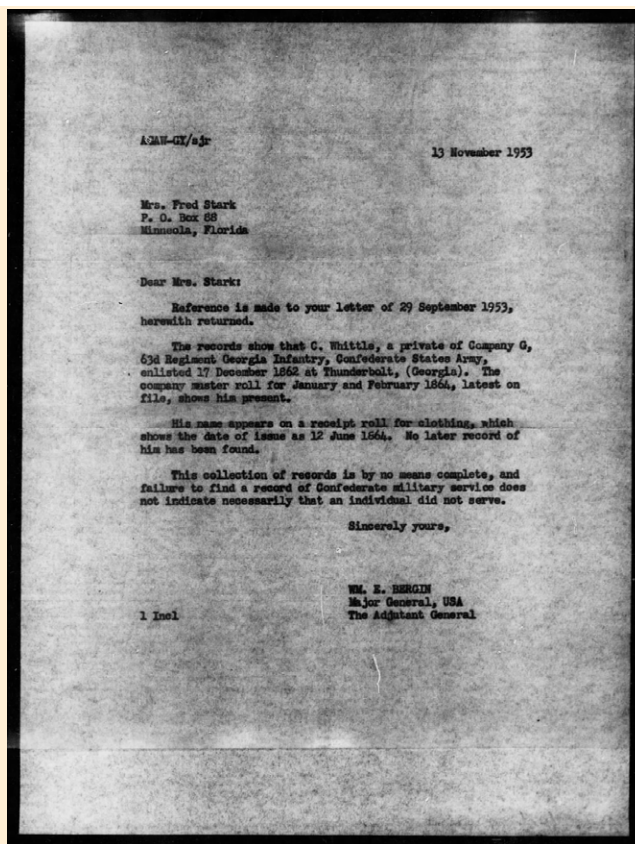
- 7410 M x Mark B. Whittle - born Jan 1881.
- 7411 F xi Maxie M. Whittle - born Jul 1885 and died in 1940. She married a Crummey.
- 7412 F xii Cornelia Lou Onie Whittle - born Feb 1888 and died in 17 Aug 1941 in Jackson County, MO. She married George Henry May in 1904.
- 7413 M xiii Benjamin Buel Whittle - born 28 May 1893. He moved to Oklahoma.

After John B died, Martha married George Henry May in 1900 followed by John Wesley Phillips in 1904 after moving to Logan County, AK. So, when she died her name was Martha Ann Rodgers Shaw Whittle May Phillips. Apparently enough husbands for a lifetime.

75. [Chesley Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1824 and died in 1899 in Floyd County, GA.

Chesley is hard to find until after the Civil War. He is listed on the roster of the 63rd GA Infantry, Company G and on the 1870 census as "Jessie" living with his wife Emily in Meriwether County, GA. In 1880 he and Emily are in Floyd County. I find it interesting that Chesley Jr. was a mail carrier like his father.

(Confederate)
 63 Ga.
 6-Whittle
 Pvt., Co. H, Gordon's Regiment,
 Georgia Infantry.*
 Appears on
 Company Muster Roll
 of the organization named above,
 for March 1863
 Enlisted:
 When Dec. 17, 1861.
 Where Florida, Fla.
 By whom Col. G. A. Gordon
 Period 3 yrs. or war
 Last paid:
 By whom Capt. G. A. Whittle
 To what time March 1, 1863
 Bounty paid, \$100; due, \$100
 Present or absent
 Remarks:
 Detained to carry the mail to &
 from 8 animals
 * This company subsequently became Company G, 63d
 Regiment Georgia Infantry.
 Book mark:
 (642) 482-1001 Copyist.



Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/55870606>

Chesley is said to have married Emaline "Emily" Reynolds. The children of their marriage based on the 1870 and 1880 census and also the family group sheet sent to W.O. Whittle by Chesley Whittle, Jr. are:

- 751 M i Nathaniel Whittle
- + 752 M ii [Burton Whittle](#)
- 753 M iii Susan Whittle was born in 1856.
- 754 M iv Martha Whittle was born in 1858.
- 755 M v Clifton Whittle
- + 756 F vi [Emanuel Whittle](#)
- + 757 F vii [Chesley Whittle, Jr.](#)
- 758 F viii Emily Whittle was born in 1866.

NOTE: There is a Charley Phillips living with Burton in the 1880 census. He is listed as a brother-in-law. One of Chesley's daughters must have died prior to 1880.

76. [Elizabeth Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1824.

Elizabeth presumably married Charles Autry. On the 1850 census they are neighbors of her brother Mark B. On the 1860 census they live next door to Wesley and Huldah Whittle from the James Jr. side of the family. Sometime after the 1870 census it is likely they left Edgefield and moved to Emanuel County, GA.

Neither Charles or Elizabeth's ages are ever consistently recorded by the census takers, so all there is to go on is the similarities in their children's names.

Wesley is harder to find than his brother Chesley. He is listed on the 1850 census still living at home with his father Ambrose and he is verified by the letter from Chesley, Jr. There is a Wesley Whittle on the 1870 census living in Meriwether County, GA who said he was born in GA not SC. He is the correct age and the following information about the 28th GA Infantry seems to confirm his whereabouts before 1865. He was a POW at Fort Delaware, either escaped or was paroled and then wounded at the siege of Petersburg.

Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/51721020>

This company moved from Wilmington, North Carolina, to Charleston, South Carolina, August 1862. A portion of it was on duty at Fort Sumter, and the remainder at Battery Wagner, Morris Island, South Carolina.

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April 26, 1865. (Born in Edgefield District, South Carolina, April 18, 1832.)

Wesley married Nancy (unknown) and 4 children are listed on the 1870 census:

- 771 M i Butler Whittle - was born about 1852. No further records have been found.
- 772 F ii Ophelia Whittle - was born about 1854.
- 773 F iii Lulian Whittle - was born about 1856.
- 774 M iv Wiley Whittle - was born in 1870. It is interesting to note that Wiley Reynolds, brother of Sophia Reynolds, wife of Joseph Whittle also lived in Meriwether County in 1870. Doubt this is anything more than coincidence, but left to wonder. No further records have been found.

78. [Emanuel W. Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1835 and died in Augusta, GA after 1910.

According to Sheriff Mark Gary Whittle, Emanuel was "very rich in land and slaves and inherited from his father". No one has been able to find the will of Ambrose Whittle so we can't confirm this.

Emanuel is on the roster of the 2nd SC Cavalry, Company I. Ironically, this cavalry unit was led by Matthew C. Butler reminiscent of revolutionary times and Burris Whittle.

Emanuel married Sardelia "Sardie", possibly Reynolds, the daughter of Wiley Reynolds but not proven. Sardie was born in 1835 and died in 1899. She is buried on a mound in the woods just off Goff Road in Batesburg. After she died Emanuel must have sold his property and moved to Augusta. On the list prepared by Joe M. Whittle, he mentions a daughter Maggie in addition to Savannah and Georgia, perhaps it is Dorothy.

- 781 F i Georgianna Whittle was born in 1857 and died in 1906. She married Yancey Bunyan Watson, born 1849, died 1928.
- 782 F ii Savannah Whittle was born in 1859.
- + 783 M iii [Jefferson Davis Whittle](#)
- 784 F iv Dorothy Whittle was born in 1864.
- 785 F v Emmie Whittle was born in 1865 and died in 1872. She is buried next to her mother on the family property.

79. [Mary Ann Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 12 Mar 1837 and died 5 Mar 1873. She is buried next to her daughter Nancy at the Ambrose Whittle cemetery near Cloud's Creek in Saluda County.

Mary Ann married James Hezekiah Prater, Jr. He was born 20 Mar 1827. Hezekiah Jr. served as a private in Co. E, 11th. Fla. Inf. of the CSA. James Hezekiah Prater died in 1863. After he died, his widow Mary Ann moved back to live with her father Ambrose Whittle, on Cloud's Creek west of Batesburg, SC.

Mary Ann Whittle and James Hezekiah Prater Jr. had the following children:

- F i Martha Ann Emaline Prater (1854-1928) married Charles Asbury Duncan (1851-1942).

- Sumter Daniel Prater (1857-1939) married Rosa Victoria Whittle
- M ii (1884-1974) daughter of Anna Savilla Miller and James Wesley Whittle (1846-1916).
- James Hezekiah Prater (1860-1950) married Ida Victoria Whittle
- M iii (1865-1931) daughter of Mary Ann Duncan and Mahlon Scratch Whittle (1832-1901).
- F iv Nancy Elizabeth Prater (1863-1884) is buried next to her mother in the Ambrose Whittle cemetery.

After James Hezekiay Prater Jr. died, Mary Ann Whittle had the following children:

- M v Robert Lee Prater Sr (1866-1926) married Nancy Esther Britt (1868-1965).
- M vi William Tillman Prater (1869-1870).
- Dorothy Evangeline Dollie Prater (1871-1956) married James Mackay
- F vii Prater (1864-1924) son of Matilda Gunter and Mackey M. Prater (1820-1865).

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The South Carolina Whittle Families

Fourth Generation (continued)

The Civil War Years

254. [Augustus Freeman "Free" Whittle \(Burris, John, Ambrose\)](#) was born 27 Feb 1823 in Marion County, Georgia and died 7 July 1898 in Butler County, Alabama.

Some researchers have connected Augustus with William Whittle, the first born son of James Whittle, Sr., probably because he lived in the same general area of Alabama. More likely he is the first son of Ambrose Whittle, therefore his grandfather was Reverend John Whittle. Augustus can not be found on the 1850 census but it is possible he was in Gadsden County, Florida with his brother Jack. If the AF Whittle in Butler County, Alabama on the 1860 census is Augustus, he says that his first son was born in Florida. Unfortunately we only have initials recorded by the census taker.

Augustus F. Whittle served the Confederacy in the 61st Alabama Infantry, Company D. He was recruited in Butler County.

Confederate.	
61	Ala.
Augustus F. Whittle.	
Priv., Co. D., 61 Reg't Alabama Infantry.	
Appears on	
Company Muster Roll	
of the organization named above,	
for Oct. 31/63 to Aug. 31, 1864.	
Enlisted:	
When	Aug 1, 1863.
Where	Butler Co., Ala.
By whom	Capt. Bargarier.
Period	War.
Last paid:	
By whom	Capt. A. M. Voy.
To what time	Oct. 31, 1863.
Present or absent	
Absent.	
Remarks Sick with typhoid at	
Charlottesville, Va.	
Book mark:	
(642) J. H. Hensley Copyist.	

(Confederate)	
61	Ala.
A. F. Whittle	
Priv. Co. D. 61 Reg't Ala.	
Appears on a	
List	
of Prisoners of War, belonging to the Army of	
the Confederate States, who have been this day	
surrendered by General Robert E. Lee, C. S. A.,	
commanding said Army, to Lieut. Genl. U. S.	
Grant, commanding Armies of the United States.	
List dated Lynchburg, Va., April , 1865.	
Remarks:	
Number of roll:	
S	
(665) Geo. J. Hensley Copyist.	

Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/14408550>

Augustus does not appear on the 1870 census. In 1880 we find him in Butler County with a partial list of his children. On the 1860 census his wife is P.J., in 1880 it is Jane. Several pedigree charts

on Ancestry.com list her full name as Penelope Jane Wood. Their children from information found on Ancestry.com as well as the 1880 census are:

- + 2541 M i [Franklin Augustus Whittle](#)
- 2542 F ii Laura L. Whittle - born about 1857.
- + 2543 M iii [Edwin Freeman Whittle](#)
- 2544 M iv Forest Whittle
- 2545 F v Mary Jane "Jinnie" Whittle - born about 1867. Married Sidney Morgan Jones 18 Nov 1883. They had 5 children.
- 2546 M vi Elizabeth Whittle - born about 1869
- 2547 M vii Geddes Whittle

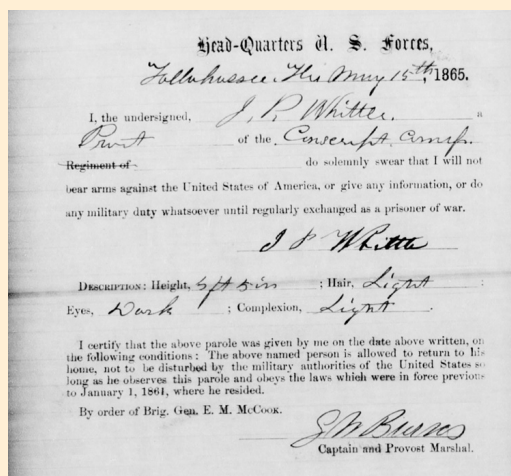
Augustus F. Whittle is buried in Macedonia Primitive Baptist Cemetery in Butler County. His tombstone says he died 7 July 1919 adding further mystery to the story of Augustus.

255. [John Paul "Jack" Whittle \(Burris, John, Ambrose\)](#) was born 13 Oct 1824 in Marion County, Georgia and died 22 May 1896 in Quincy, Gadsden County, Florida.

John appears to be the first of Rev. John's family to settle in Gadsden County, FL. On the 1850 census we find him with his wife Virginia and their first born son. Virginia Rodgers Whittle was born 15 July 1834 in GA and died 30 Oct 1856, following the birth of their 4th child. The children of John "Jack" and Virginia are:

- 2551 M i William Ambrose Whittle
- 2552 F ii Ruth Whittle - born 27 Oct 1852 and died 2 Apr 1853.
- 2553 M iii John Wilkins Whittle
- + 2554 M iv [Henry Virginia Whittle](#)

J.P. Whittle is listed on the roster of the 10th Regiment, Florida Infantry along with his brother Quin and cousin JN. Here is his amnesty agreement.



Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/119313628>

Researcher, Brenda Laney, has found a John "Whille" born in GA with 3 sons born in FL living with a Cash family on the 1870 census. Ages and names are close enough to assume this is him since Virginia Rodgers died in 1856. On the 1880 census he is living with his sister Rebecca E.

Brown and her daughter Sarah. It is also interesting to note that both of them said their parents were born in SC. This helps support the 1790 SC census where Rev. John lists 1 son and 1 daughter, This may prove that Ambrose and Sarah were both born in SC by the time of the 1790 census (extended to 1792 for South Carolina) before Rev. John left SC.

Jack's 2nd marriage was M. Rebecca Mayton on 7 June 1887. She was born in Florida in 1848 and died 12 Mar 1916. This pension application verifies this.

Widow's Pension Claim
UNDER THE ACT OF 1909
(FORM A.)

STATE OF FLORIDA,
County of Gadsden

On this 11th day of July, A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred and thirteen, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid M. Rebecca Whittle, a resident of Quincy, County of Gadsden, State of Florida, who being duly sworn according to law, makes the following declaration in order to obtain a pension under the provisions of Chapter 5865, Laws of Florida, approved June 7, 1909.

That she is the widow of John B. Whittle, who was enlisted under the name of John B. Whittle on the 11th day of July, 1864, in Company 186, Regiment of the State of Florida, and who was honorably discharged at 186, on account of (Give complete statement of other service, if any.)

That he also served (See proof in former claim of No. 6520.)

That she was lawfully married to the said John B. Whittle under the name of M. Rebecca Mayton in the County of Gadsden, State of Fla. on the 7th day of June, 1887, and that she was not divorced from him and that she has not remarried since his death, which occurred on the 22nd day of May, 1886, in the County of Gadsden, State of Fla.

That she is a resident of Gadsden, County, Florida, and has continuously resided in the State of Florida since the day of all her life.

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257. [Quintillian Durke "Quin" Whittle \(Burris, John, Ambrose\)](#) was born 2 May 1829 in Marion County, GA and died 28 Dec 1897 in Quincy, Gadsden County, Florida.

Quin is still living at home in Coffee County, AL for the 1850 census, but by 1860 he has joined his brother Jack in Gadsden County, FL. Q.D. Whittle is listed on the roster of the 10th Regiment, Florida Infantry along with his brother Jack and cousin JN.

10th Regiment, Florida Infantry

10th Infantry Regiment was assembled in June, 1864. It was formed by consolidating six companies of the 1st and four of the 2nd Florida Infantry Battalions. Some of the men were from Alachua and Putnam counties.

Attached to General Finegan's Brigade, the regiment was active at Cold Harbor, then participated in the long Petersburg siege south of the James River and in the Appomattox Campaign.

It surrendered with the Army of Northern Virginia with 18 officers and 154 men. Its commanders were Colonel Charles F. Hopkins, Lieutenant Colonel William W. Scott, and Major John Westcott. 6 Florida Whittle sons mustered out of this regiment.

Quin married Louisa Jane Shepard. She was born 26 June 1840 in Florida and died 31 Aug 1899. They had 6 children:

- + 2571 M i [David Ambrose Whittle](#)
- 2572 M ii [Walter T. Whittle](#)
 Florence Whittle - born 13 Aug 1872 and died 19 Apr 1956 in Gadsden County. Florence married Montgomery Levi Johnson on 6 Jan 1906. He was born 26 Aug 1874 and died 1 Sept 1935 in Gadsden County.
- + 2574 M iv [Norton Fagg Whittle](#)
 Addie C. Whittle - born 9 Apr 1882 and died June 1978 in Tallahassee, Leon County, FL. Addie married Augustus Johnson in 1901. He was born 13 Sept 1889 and died Jan 1980 in Madison County, FL.
- 2575 F v
- 2576 M vi Quintilian Durke Whittle, Jr. - born Jan 1884 and died in 1905, probably without issue.

On the 1900 census Florence is listed as head of household along with her sister Addie and Quin, Jr. David A. is living next door to them.

259. [James Gideon Whittle \(Burris, John, Ambrose\)](#) was born 28 Oct 1832 in Dooly County, GA and died 7 Sept 1900 in Wilcox County, Georgia.

James was not mentioned as a son of Ambrose in the letter sent to W.O. Whittle in 1945 from [Felton Whittle](#). He married Harriet C. Mann, 5 Dec 1853 in Henry County, AL. She died before 1860. He married Tabatha Ann Rebecca "Becky" Draughton on 5 May 1861 in Jones County, GA. Becky was born in 1835 and died in 1915. On the 1870 census, James' sister Rebecca Brown is living in his household with her two daughters. James served the Confederacy most likely in the 5th GA Reserves.

James and Harriet had one daughter:

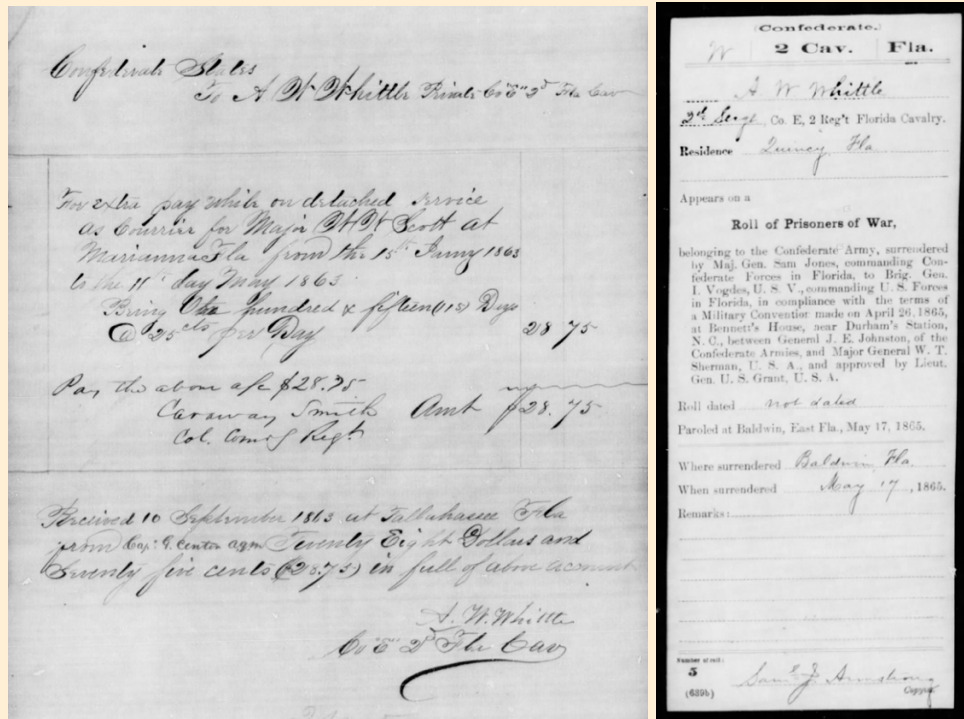
- 2591 F i Zemily Angeline Whittle - born 6 Feb 1855. Information on Ancestry.com indicates Zemily married Charles Edward Burch in Texas and they later moved into Oklahoma Territory.

James and Becky had the following children:

- 2592 F ii Bertha Whittle - married William Mayo.
- 2593 F iii Mary Madison Whittle - born 19 Dec 1863 died 17 Feb 1942 in Dooly, GA. She married James Blackshear Musselwhite
- 2594 F iv Sarah Jane Emily Whittle - born 9 May 1866 and died 11 Aug 1945 in Colquitt, GA. She married (1) Uriah Anderson Musselwhite and (2) William R. Knott.
- + 2595 M v [Zack Wilkins Whittle](#)
- + 2596 M vi [Robert Quintillion Whittle](#)
- + 2597 M vii [Lee Roy Whittle](#)
- + 2598 M viii [Hugh Lawson Whittle](#)

2511. [Ambrose William Whittle \(Burris, John, Ambrose\)](#) was born 2 Oct 1837 in Dooly County, GA and died after 1900 probably in Jacksonville, Florida.

Ambrose followed his brothers, Jack and Quin to Gadsden County, Florida by the time of the 1860 census. Ambrose is on the roster of the 2nd Florida Cavalry and mustered out at the rank of Sergeant. There are numerous records of his service on file at the National Archives.



Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/89354691>

2nd Regiment, Florida Cavalry

2nd Cavalry Regiment was organized with 1,190 men during the late spring of 1862. Its members were from Melton and Tallahassee, and the counties of St. John, Marion, Gadsden, and Madison.

The unit was attached to the Department of South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida, and served in Florida throughout the war. It fought at Olustee, Gainesville, and Braddock's Farm.

They surrendered at Tallahassee on May 10, 1865. Colonel Caraway Smith, Lieutenant Colonel Abner H. McCormick, and Major Robert Harrison were in command.

After the war, Ambrose married Mattie E. Gregory on 18 Dec 1866 in Gadsden County Florida. No records for Ambrose have been found from the date of his marriage through about 1888. There are records from 1888 through 1893 that list Ambrose W. Whittle as a bookkeeper in Jacksonville, FL. He is also on the 1900 census living in a boarding house in Jacksonville. No records have been found of any children.

263. [Ambrose Daniel Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell\)](#) was born in 1828 in Houston County, GA and died 13 Aug 1886 in Echo, Dale County, AL.

A. D. is found on the 1850 census living in Barbour County, Alabama. He married Mary Jane McNair, born 16 Feb 1829 in NC and died 21 Jan 1887. Both are buried at Mt. Carmel Methodist Cemetery. There are 3 people in the household named "Nair" They would likely be Mary Jane's brother, mother and aunt. Their first born son, Daniel, is listed as age 0.

By 1860 his family has grown to 5 children. There are 3 other people on this census living in his household, Elias Riley, Harmon H. White (Whittle) born in 1837 and Elizabeth White (Whittle) born in 1842. On the 1870 census all 5 children are still living at home.

The 1880 census shows Ambrose, Mary Jane with their sons George W and Cornelius living next door.

- + 2631 M i [Daniel William Whittle](#)
- + 2632 M ii [George "Sandy" W. Whittle](#)
- 2633 F iii Margaret Sarah Whittle - born 1855 and died 16 Oct 1932. She married Marion Kirkland.
- 2634 F iv Catherine Mary Whittle - born 19 Oct 1857 and died 31 Jul 1917. She is buried at Mt. Carmel Methodist Cemetery with her mother and father. She apparently never married.
- 2635 M v [Cornelius "Niel" Whittle](#) - born 1858.

Elizabeth and Harmon Whittle on the 1860 census are apparently not a brother and sister of Ambrose or children of Burrell Whittle. One reference to Harmon refers to him as Hammer Whittle and says that he was wounded 6 times at Gettysburg. On the 1850 census Harmon was living with a John Vann in Alabama. It is probably not possible to determine the parents of either Elizabeth or Harmon. Here is his Confederate Record which indicates he died in Montgomery, AL during the war. AD Whittle certifies the record as guardian.

(CONFEDERATE)

W 33 ala.

Harmon H. Whittle
for Co. B. 33rd Regt

Name appears on a

Register
of Claims of Deceased Officers and Soldiers from
Alabama which were filed for settlement in the
Office of the Confederate States Auditor for the
War Department.

By whom presented *A. D. Whittle, Guad.*

When filed , 186 .

Where born

Where died *Montgomery, ala.*

Comptroller:

When reported to , 186 .

When returned , 186 .

Number of settlements:

Certificates

Report

Amount found due

By whom paid

No. of Paymasters' Settlements

Abstract and No. of Voucher

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(616) *T. L. L.* Copyist.

Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/11867074>

264. [Cinchen \(Kinchen\) G. Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell\)](#) was born in 1820 in Houston County, GA and died in 1915 in Mitchell County, GA.

No census data ever consistently verifies that Cinchen was born in 1820, but his tombstone in Liberty Hill Cemetery says that, so we will accept it for now. CG makes his first public appearance on the 1850 census living with his brother A.D. in Barbour County, Alabama. He is listed as age 19. Because he is found in Barbour County living in the same precinct with the former Edgefield County, SC Whittles, some researchers have concluded that he is one of them. However, there is no evidence that Maston, Reuben or William Whittle ever lived in Georgia and Chinchen consistently said he was born in Georgia. On the other hand, in 1880 the census taker recorded his parents as both born in South Carolina.

On 8 Feb 1852 he married Emeline O. Chambers, who was born in SC. By 1860 they are farming in Mitchell County, Georgia. Their first born son, Newton is recorded as born in AL, which supports the fact that he did live in AL until about 1852. No record has been found of any military service. The children of Chinchen and Emeline as verified from the 1860 through 1880 census are:

- + 2641 M i [Newton Carmichael Whittle](#)
- 2642 F ii Virginia S. Whittle - born about 1855 and was still living with her father in 1910.
- 2643 M iii Willburn N. Whittle
- 2644 F iv Anna E. Whittle - born about 1861 and was still living with her father in 1910. She may be the Aunt "Bunch" who died in 1918 and is buried in Liberty Hill Cemetery with her father.

+ 2645 M v [Buford L. Yancy Whittle](#)

By 1900, CG has aged almost 20 years and in 1910 he is 106. The following article about him appeared in 1904 and suggests that he might be the son of John Whittle, not Burrell:

Paper: The Montgomery Advertiser
 Location: Montgomery, Alabama
 Vol.: LXXV No. 85
 Date: Thursday Morning, March 31, 1904
 Page: 4 Column: 3
 Article: A Georgia Patriarch
 Transcription: by Nadine Shipman Sinkwitz

A Georgia Patriarch
 Thomasville (Ga) Times-Enterprise

C. G. Whittle, the oldest man in Colquitt County [Georgia], says that he was born in the part of the State that now constitutes Twiggs County [Georgia] in February 1804. His father moved to South Alabama when the country was just a wilderness, scarcely any white people living there, but Indians were plentiful. His father dieing [sic] in 1836, left the family at Eufaula, [Barbour County] Ala. when only one log cabin marked the place. He says that he had seen 1,000 Indians there at a time on trading expeditions. Mr. Whittle looks to be hale and hearty and says he never was sick a day in his life.

265. [James B. Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell\)](#) was born 15 Sep 1836 in Houston County, GA and died before 1910 in Liberty County, FL.

James B has not been proved to be a son of Burrell Whittle but all of the evidence to date seems to suggest it. There is a record for him in the 4th Florida Infantry. He must have been one of the 23 who surrendered in 1865.

4th Regiment, Florida Infantry

4th Infantry Regiment was organized in the summer of 1861 at Jacksonville, Florida. The men were raised in the counties of Gadsden, Franklin, Madison, New River, LaFayette, Columbia, Marion, Levy, Liberty, Washington, Jackson, and Hillsborough.

For a time it served in Florida, then was assigned to General Preston's, Stovall's, Finley's, and J.A. Smith's Brigade, Army of Tennessee. During December, 1863, it was consolidated with the 1st Florida Cavalry Regiment.

The 4th was engaged at Murfreesboro and Jackson, participated in the campaigns of the army from Chickamauga to Nashville, and saw action in North Carolina. It was organized with 983 officers and men and lost forty-two percent of the 468 engaged at Murfreesboro, forty percent of the 217 at Chickamauga, and eighty-nine percent of the 172 at Missionary Ridge. The 1st/4th totalled 198 men and 109 arms in December, 1863.

The regiment surrendered 23 men in April, 1865. The field officers were Colonels Wiles L. L. Bowen, Edward Hopkins, and James P. Hunt; Lieutenant Colonels Edward

Badger and M.W. Smith; and Majors Jacob A. Lash and John T. Lesley.

In the 1860 census James is living in the household of N.P. Mercer, assumed to be the husband of James' sister Elizabeth. On both the 1870 and 1880 census he is found with his wife Amanda M (Unknown) living next to his presumed brother John in Gadsden County. In 1870 there are 3 children named Black living in their household. From this it is assumed that Amanda was previously married to a Black. There were 6 Black sons who fought in the 4th Florida. James is a widower on the 1900 census. No Whittle children are listed on any census, so we assume that he and Amanda had none of their own.

Here is his application for a Confederate pension in 1909.

SOLDIER'S PENSION CLAIM
UNDER THE ACT OF 1909.
(FORM A.)

STATE OF Florida
County of Alachua

On this 20th day of April, A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred and 1909, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the county and State aforesaid, James B. Whittle, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is 74 years of age, having been born on the 10th day of Sept, 1834 in the county of Alachua in the State of Florida. That he is a bona fide citizen of the county of Alachua, State of Florida. That he has resided in the State of Florida continuously since the 10th day of Sept, 1834.

That he is the identical person who enlisted at Alachua, Fla., under the name of James B. Whittle, on the 10th day of Sept, 1862, in Company 4th, Regiment 4th of the State of Florida in the service of the Confederate States Army. (Here state whether his service claimed was in the Confederate States Army or in the service of a State.)

and who was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at Alachua, Fla., in the State of Florida, on the 10th day of Sept, 1865, on account of disability. (Here state fully any other military service performed by the applicant.)

(Here give date and place of capture, imprisonment, exchange or parole.)

That I served faithfully until HONORABLY DISCHARGED from the service of the Confederate States Army in the year 1865, and did not desert the service of the Confederate States Army nor take the oath of allegiance to the United States until after the surrender of the Confederate Armies. (Here state whereabouts at close of Civil War.)

That I was at Alachua, Fla. when surrendered.

That I do not own property, including real estate, personal property, stocks, bonds, mortgages or other collateral securities of any kind in this or any other State, nor does my wife own with me jointly or separately, property to exceed in value the sum of five thousand dollars.

That the following is a true and correct statement of all the property owned by me or by my wife, jointly and separately in this or any other State:

Real estate, located at <u>St. Mark, Florida</u>	\$ <u>500.00</u>
Cattle, horses and other live stock	\$ <u>0.00</u>
Personal property	\$ <u>50.00</u>
Stocks	\$ <u>0.00</u>
Bonds	\$ <u>0.00</u>
Mortgages, notes and other securities	\$ <u>0.00</u>
Total	\$ <u>550.00</u>

That I have heretofore been granted a pension from the State of Florida under pension certificate No. 4746 at the rate of \$ 12.00 per annum. (Here state any disabilities, physical or mental.)

(Here state any wounds received, or loss of limbs and eyesight.)

That my postoffice address is Alachua, County of Alachua, State of Florida.

James B. Whittle
(Claimant must sign name in full.)

Attest:
(1) J. C. Callaway
(2) H. H. Smith

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 20th day of April, A. D. 1909, and I hereby certify that the above declaration, etc., were fully made known and explained to the applicant before swearing, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Thomas E. Whittle
Notary Public, State of Fla.
My commission expires March 1913

That I do not own property, including real estate, personal property, stocks, bonds, mortgages or other collateral securities of any kind in this or any other State, nor does my wife own with me jointly or separately, property to exceed in value the sum of five thousand dollars.

That the following is a true and correct statement of all the property owned by me or by my wife, jointly and separately in this or any other State:

Real estate, located at: <i>St. Marks, Howard, Fla.</i>	\$500.00
.....	\$.....
.....	\$.....
Cattle, horses and other live stock.....	\$100.00
Personal property.....	\$100.00
Stocks.....	\$.....
Bonds.....	\$.....
Mortgages, notes and other securities.....	\$300.00
Total.....	\$900.00

That I have heretofore been granted a pension from the State of Florida under pension certificate No. *4746* at the rate of \$10.00 per annum.
(Here state any disabilities, physical or mental.)
Stomach trouble, chronic, and general weakness.
(Here state any wounds received, or loss of limbs and eyesight.)
Through gunshot wound through chest.

That my postoffice address is *Howard*, County of *Liberty*, State of Florida.

James B. Whittle
(Claimants must sign name in full.)

Attest:
(1) *John C. Roberts*
(2) *John B. Whittle*

Sworn and subscribed before me, this *10th* day of *July*, A. D. 1903,
and I hereby certify that the above declaration, etc., were fully made known and explained to the applicant before swearing, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Thomas E. Thompson
Notary Public, State of Fla. at *St. Marks*
My Commission Expires *March 1904*

Courtesy of https://www.floridamemory.com/discover/historical_records/pensionfiles/

266. John N. Whittle (Burris, John, Burrell) was born Dec 1838 in Houston County, GA and died before 1900 in Liberty County, Florida .

Because there are several John Whittles born about the same time in Florida and Georgia, it is hard to determine who is who, but here is our current best guess. John is found on the 1860 census living with Elijah Shepard in Gadsden County, FL. Elijah is likely the father of Louisa Shepard, who married John's cousin Quin Whittle. John N. is also listed as a private in the 10th Regiment Florida Infantry along with his cousins JP and Quin. Here is his amnesty agreement.

Head-Quarters U. S. Forces,
Tallahassee Fla. May 15, 1865.

I, the undersigned, *J. N. Whittle*
private of the *10th* Co.
Regiment of *Infantry* do solemnly swear that I will not
bear arms against the United States of America, or give any information, or do
any military duty whatsoever until regularly exchanged as a prisoner of war.

J. N. Whittle
M. K.

DESCRIPTION: Height, *5 ft 6 in*; Hair, *Light*
Eyes, *Gray*; Complexion, *Dark*.

I certify that the above parole was given by me on the date above written, on
the following conditions: The above named person is allowed to return to his
home, not to be disturbed by the military authorities of the United States so
long as he observes this parole and obeys the laws which were in force previous
to January 1, 1861, where he resided.

By order of Brig. Gen. E. M. McCook.
J. M. Barnes
Captain and Provost Marshal.

Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/119313636>

The Gadsden County Marriage Index references a John N. Whittle and Florida Willifred marriage dated 3 May 1866. On the 1870 census he is listed as "John Whittle" living in Liberty County with a 1 year old named, Ann. There is a record of a marriage of John Whittle and Anna Indman dated 22 Dec 1870, so this could be an error by the census taker. John lives next door to James B. Whittle, who is likely another son of Burrell. He is still in Liberty for the 1880 census, married to Martha A. (unknown). Three children are listed.

On the 1900 census, Martha A. is listed as a widow and head of household. Four children are named.

- + 2661 M i [Burrell Edward Whittle](#)
- 2662 M ii Thomas E. Whittle - born Mar 1874.
- 2663 F iii Mary M. Whittle - born in Oct 1876.
- 2664 F iv Lucy J. Whittle - born in May 1878.

312. [John S. Whittle \(Burris, John, James\)](#) was born about 1836 in Marion County, Georgia and died 6 May 1864 at Wilderness Field Hospital near Richmond, VA.

On the muster role of Company K, 4th Regiment GA Voluntary Infantry we find "Whittle, John S: ---- private April 27, 1861. Wounded at Malvern Hill, Va. July 1, 1862; Wilderness, Va. May 5, 1864. Died of wounds in Wilderness, Va. hospital May 6, 1864." All of this is verified in the National Archives.

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STATE OF GEORGIA, Sumter County.

On this 17th day of August 1864 personally came before me the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the county aforesaid, *John S. Whittle* who, after being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the *widow* of *John S. Whittle* deceased, who was a *private* of Captain *Measom's* Company, *4th Regiment* of Georgia Volunteers, commanded by *Colonel* *Wm. Cook* in the service of the Confederate States, in the present war with the United States, that the said *John S. Whittle* entered the service at *Augusta* in *Sumter* County and State of *Georgia* on or about the 27th day of *April* 1861 and died at *the Wilderness of the Potomac* on the 6th day of *May* 1864 from a wound received on the 5th day of *May* 1864 in the battle of the Wilderness.

That said *John S. Whittle* makes this deposition for the purpose of obtaining from the Government of the Confederate States, whatever may be due the said *John S. Whittle* at the time of his death, for the pay, bounty, or other allowances for his services as *private* aforesaid.

Sworn to and subscribed before me } *E. S. Whittle*
J. G. Smith Justice of the Peace

And on the same day and year aforesaid, also appeared before me a Justice of the Peace, as aforesaid, *David H. Hill* who is well known to me, and whom I hereby certify to be a person of veracity and credibility, who having been by me duly sworn on oath says that *he* is well acquainted with *John S. Whittle* the claimant, and also well knew for *four* years *John S. Whittle* the deceased soldier herein mentioned, and that the statement made under oath by said *John S. Whittle* claimant, as to *his* relationship to the said deceased soldier, is true and correct in every particular, to the best of *his* knowledge and belief, and that *he* the said *David H. Hill* is wholly disinterested.

Sworn to and subscribed before me } *David H. Hill*
John S. Whittle Justice of the Peace

STATE OF GEORGIA, Sumter County. } I hereby certify that *John S. Whittle* and *David H. Hill* before whom the foregoing affidavits of *John S. Whittle* and *David H. Hill* appear to have been made, and whose genuine signature is subscribed thereto, was at the time of making and signing the same, a Justice of the Peace in and for the County and State aforesaid, duly commissioned and sworn, and to whose official acts as such full faith and credit is and ought to be given as well in Courts of Justice as thereout.

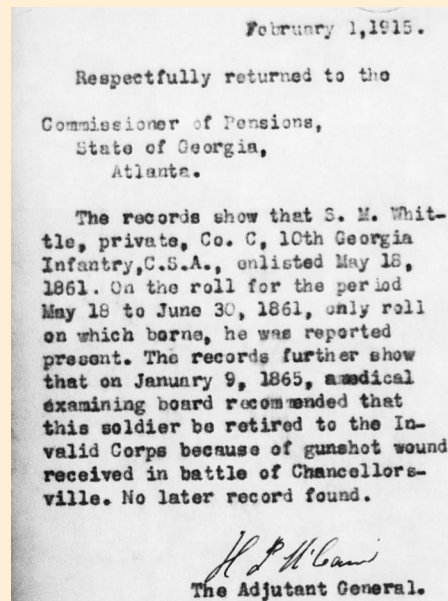
In testimony whereof, I have herunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of Sumter County Superior Court, this *seventeenth* day of *August* Anno Domini, eighteen hundred and sixty *four*.

Andrew G. Rowlandson Clerk of Sumter County Superior Court.

We assume this to be John, son of James Whittle. John married Ellen L. (Donaldson, reported on Ancestry.com) on 23 Oct 1862 and they had a daughter named Maggie.

314. [Samual Madison Whittle \(Burris, John, James\)](#) was born 6 Oct 1841 in Marion County, Georgia and died 16 Feb 1925 in Camp Hill, Alabama (Verified by his tombstone at Camp Hill Cemetery, Tallapoosa, Alabama).

S.M. Whittle is on the roster of the 10th Georgia Infantry, Company C. Apparently he was wounded well enough to be discharged after Chancellorsville.



Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/43689494>

By 1870 Madison is farming in Chattahoochee County, GA. He is living with John McCook, age 35. It is interesting to note that some of the McCook family were living with Madison's father James as early as 1860.

Madison moved to Alabama before 1880 and married Harriet "Hattie" A. Watkins on 21 Dec 1879. Hattie was born 19 Mar 1859 and died 1 Mar 1931. There is a Samuel Whittle, born in GA, and wife Hattie on the 1880 census in Lee County, AL. By 1900 they are living in Rome, Tallapoosa County, AL. Hattie tells the census taker that she has 5 children, all still living and they are listed as follows:

- 3141 F i Jimmie Whittle - born Nov 1880.
- 3142 F ii E. Birdie Whittle - born 9 Aug 1882 and died 31 Oct 1958 (Camp Hill Cemetery).
- 3143 M iii [Samuel Madison Whittle, Jr.](#)
- 3144 M iv [Marion Watkins Whittle](#)
- 3145 F v Bertha Whittle - born Nov 1891.

315. [James Jackson Whittle \(Burris, John, James\)](#) was born 22 Oct 1846 in Marion County, Georgia and died in Birmingham, Alabama on 17 Mar 1933.

There is a James J. Whittle listed on the roster of the 28th Battalion, Georgia Siege Artillery. He survived the war and took his oath of allegiance.

Our thanks to James D. Brooks, great grandson of James Jackson Whittle, for providing information about his family.

"James married Francis Louise King who was born 31 July 1842 in Columbus, GA. and died 1 Sept 1932. Francis is buried in Linwood Cemetery, Columbus, GA. They had one child."

+ 3151 M i [Henry King Whittle](#)

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The South Carolina Whittle Families

Fifth Generation

The Great Migration

1132. [William Holloway Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison\)](#) was born in Mount Willing, Lowndes County, AL 24 June 1847 and died there 4 Jan 1924.

Holloway stayed in Lowndes County and continued to farm after his father died. On the 1880 census he is living next door to his brothers, Albert and Jesse. He married Theodocia "Docia" Norris Barganier, 24 Dec 1874. On the 1910 census Docia said she had 11 children, 7 still living:

- + 11321 M i [Otto LaFayette Whittle](#)
- 11322 F ii Margaret Whittle - was born 11 Mar 1877. She died 24 Aug 1978 in Lowndes County.
- 11323 M iii Walter Whittle - was born 5 Dec 1878 and died 22 Jul 1903 (information from Ancestry.com)
- + 11324 M iv [Claude C. Whittle](#)
- + 11325 M v [Herbert Auby Whittle](#)
- 11326 M vi Oscar C. Whittle - was born 30 Dec 1884 and died 1 Aug 1900, according to his tombstone.
- 11327 F vii Pearl Whittle - was born 26 Nov 1886. She married S.M. Matthews. Pearl died 10 Dec 1908 in Lowndes County.
- 11328 F viii Ruby Whittle - was born 30 Dec 1888.
- + 11329 M ix [Irby Cecil Whittle](#)
- 113210 F x Eva Whittle - was born 2 Jan 1897. She married David Caffey Till on 6 Jun 1920.
- 113211 M xi Henry Davis Whittle - was born in 1898. No records have been found.

1134. [West M. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison\)](#) was born in Mount Willing, Lowndes County, AL in 1849 and died sometime after 1910 in Washita County, Oklahoma.

There is a posting on Ancestry.com that says West's nickname was "Josephus". There is a J.M. Whittle found on the 1880 census farming in McLennan County, Texas. He says he was born in 1849 in AL and his parents in SC. His wife Nola says she was born in TN which agrees with what was said by West's children on the 1910 census. They have 2 daughters age 4 in 1876, probably twins.

In 1892 his father's estate settlement lists him in Hill County TX, but he can not be located on the 1900 census. By 1910 West M. Whittle is living in Washita County, Oklahoma with his son Arthur and daughter Nora.

- 11341 F i Carrie Whittle - was born in 1876 in McLennan County, TX.

- 11342 F ii Mammie Whittle - was born in 1876 in McLennan County, TX (probably twin sister of Carrie).
- 11343 M iii Arthur J. Whittle - was born in 1885. We have no further records.
- 11344 F iv Nora Whittle - was born in 1893.

1137. [Albert Y. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison\)](#) was born in Mount Willing, Lowndes County, AL about 1854 and died there before 1892.

Albert is found on the 1880 census with his wife Alice and no children. Mentioned in his fathers estate settlement are 3 children and his widow who apparently remarried a Williams.

- 11371 M i Vander Whittle
- 11372 F ii Pet Whittle
- 11373 F iii Martha Whittle

1138. [Jesse Robert Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison\)](#) was born in Mount Willing, Lowndes County, AL 17 Dec 1857 and died in Jefferson County, AL on 22 Dec 1930.

Jesse is found on the 1880 census with his first wife, Georgia McCoy and daughter Ina. They were married 3 Oct 1879. "Jessy" and Georgia are in Butler County for the 1900 census. Georgia says she bore 3 children only 1 still living.

- 11381 F i Ina O'Nora Whittle - was born 2 Oct 1879. She married Joseph Scott Coker.

Georgia died 6 Jun 1901 and Jesse married Maude Ethel Cochran on 25 Aug 1901 and started a second family. On the 1910 census Jesse and Maude are living in Jefferson County and he lists his occupation as carpenter in a steel mill.

- 11382 F ii Mary Ella Whittle - born 11 Nov 1905. She married William H. Fowler 21 Dec 1921. She died in Oct 1977 in Bibb County, GA.
- 11383 F iii Olean Viola Whittle - born 11 Feb 1905. She married Henry Earle Honeycutt 28 May 1937. She died 22 May 1940 in Jefferson County, AL.
- + 11384 M iv [James Ellison Whittle](#)
- 11385 F v Margaret Marie Whittle - was born 12 Apr 1910. She married William Oliver Holmes, Jr. 21 Jan 1929 in Jefferson County, AL.
- 11386 M vi [Jesse Mitchell Whittle](#)
- 11387 F vii Maude Christine Whittle - was born 26 May 1914. She married Junior Howard Carter 23 May 1931. She married Olin Josephus Mason 3 Dec 1961, Alfred Bockman after 1964 and then remarried Junior on 20 Nov 1981. She died 13 Feb 1994 in Birmingham, Jefferson County, AL.

NOTE: Two other children died in infancy, T.J. Whittle and William Lee Robert Whittle. Much of the information about Jesse Robert Whittle was provided by Jeffery Whittle, descendent of James Ellison Whittle, and Kay Anderson, a descendent of Ina O'Nora Whittle. Be sure and visit Kay's website at

<https://web.archive.org/web/20081224083350/http://vidas.rootsweb.ancestry.com/whittle.html>

11313. [John Ellison Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison\)](#) was born in Mount Willing, Lowndes County, AL May 1867 and probably died before 1920 in Pensacola, Escambia County, Florida.

John Elly is on the 1900 census living in Greenville, Butler County, AL. His widowed mother Elizabeth lives with him and also a younger brother Walter. John's occupation is shown as merchant. He married Claudia L. Burkhuits, born about 1875 and apparently she died before 1910. On the 1900 census they have 2 children, Herman E. and Vernon E.

10 years later we find John E. Whittle listed as a saloon proprietor in Pensacola, FL. There are 6 children named, including Herman and Vernon. All ages are close enough to the 1900 census to assume this is the same John Elly, although the census taker recorded his birthplace as New Jersey. Herman is head of household by 1920, John is not found.

+ 113131 M i [Herman E. Whittle](#)

+ 113132 M ii [Vernon Ely Whittle](#)

113133 F iii Mardis Whittle - was born about 1902, probably in Florida. She is living with her brother Herman on the 1920 census.

113134 M iv Brooks Whittle - was born in 1902 or 1903 in Pensacola, FL. There are 2 social security death index entries for Brooks Whittle. One SSN from South Carolina and another from Louisanna. No verified information about him has been found.

113135 M v Walter Whittle - was born in 1905. No verified information about him has been found.

113136 F vi Katherine Lane Whittle - Katie was born 7 Mar 1908 and died 14 Jan 1978. Thanks to information provided by her granddaughter, Brenda Lane Majors McAllister, Katie was raised by her aunt Sallie Whittle Favor. She married James W. Majors and they had 4 sons. James was born 24 Jan 1903 and died 31 May 1994. Katie, James and their son Vernon Lamar Majors share a joint tombstone in Greenwood Cemetery, Montgomery AL.

1155. [Eldridge Emsley Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Emsley\)](#) was born in Mount Willing, Lowndes County, AL in 1846 and probably died there before 1880.

Eldridge is assumed to be the only son of Emsley Whittle that had a family. Based on information found on Ancestry.com and partially confirmed by the 1880 census, Eldridge married Caroline Clarinda Bruner on 11 Dec 1866. On the 1880 census Caroline is living with a son named William, apparently from a previous marriage, as he is age 25. Caroline died 30 Sep 1888. Two sons that have been attributed to her marriage with Eldridge are:

+ 11551 M i [Walter Marcus Whittle](#)

+ 11552 M ii [James Thomas Whittle](#)

1232. [Thomas Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Amos\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1843 and died in October 1914 in the Confederate Soldiers Infirmary in Columbia, SC.

Thomas served the Confederacy in Company B, 14th SC Infantry along with his brother Milledge. His obituary says he was wounded 4 times. Unlike his brother, he survived the war and returned to SC marrying Harriet Reynolds. Thomas is buried at the Elmwood Cemetery in Columbia. On the

1900 census Harriet said 3 of her 5 children were still living. Harriet died prior to 1910. From the 1880 and 1900 census, their children are:

- 12321 F i Della Whittle - born 1867 and probably died before 1900.
- 12322 F ii Minnie Whittle - born 1875 and was still living at home in 1900.
- + 12323 M iii [Thomas A. Whittle](#)
- + 12324 M iv [James Edwin Whittle](#)

1268. [Edward O. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Alfred\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1865 and likely died after 1930 in Hickory, Catawba County, North Carolina.

No records have been found for Edward between 1880 and 1910, however, it's a good bet that the Edward Whittle, born 1866 in SC, living in South Point, Gaston County, NC, is the right Edward. Edward married Sarah Ruth Yoder. On the 1910 census, Sarah said she had 4 children and all were born in NC. Three of their children are named after Edward's brothers and sisters. On the 1920 census they are living in Hickory, Catawba County, with their youngest daughter, Sarah Elizabeth.

- 12681 M i Charley Whittle - born 1893. There is a Chas J. Whittle listed as an inmate in Augusta, GA on the 1930 census. He says he was born in NC in 1893.
- 12682 M ii Marshall Whittle - born 1894 and may have died before the 1920 census.
- + 12683 M iii [Zeddie L. Whittle](#)
- 12684 F iv Sarah Elizabeth Whittle - born 10 Oct 1908.

1281. [Daniel S. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Willis Jr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in Sep 1851 and died before 1910 in Saluda County, SC.

Daniel and Emma (unknown) are married and living next door to Willis, Jr. by the time of the 1870 census. On the 1880 census they are in Norris Township farming with Dan's brother Green. They seem to have been compatible brothers because they still live next door to each other by 1910. Emma says on the 1900 census that she had 5 children, 3 still living, so we assume they lost William and the daughter born in 1880. Emma is a widowed head of household in 1910. She says she bore 12 children and only 4 are still living. Willie, May Belle and Gerte May are still at home.

- 12811 M i William Whittle - born 1874 and apparently died before 1900.
- 12812 F ii Daughter - born 1880 and apparently died before 1900.
- 12813 M iii Willie A. Whittle - born in May 1878. Willie was single and still living at home in 1910.
- 12814 F iv May Belle "Mable" Whittle - born Oct 1887.
- 12815 F v Gerte May Whittle - born Oct 1889.

1284. [Green Berry Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Willis Jr.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in Jun 1853 and died 22 May 1918 in Norris Township, Edgefield SC.

Green and his wife Amanda Asbill first appear on the 1880 census with their first born daughter, Zula. Amanda probably died shortly after that because Nancy Warren is the name found on the 1900 and 1910 census. One researcher has said that all of the children except Zula are by Nancy

Warren. Nancy was born in 1857 and died 14 Oct 1939.

- 12841 F i Zula Whittle - was born 29 July 1879 and died 22 Feb 1952. She married Wade Hampton Goff and they had 3 children.
- + 12842 M ii [Albert H. Whittle](#)
- 12843 F iii Beulah Whittle - born Dec 1885 and died about 1908. Based on information posted by Donna Bowling in Apr, 2000, Beulah married John C. Maroney and they had one child before she died or they divorced.
- 12844 F iv Jettie Whittle - born 29 Aug 1887 and died 7 Jan 1968. Donna Bowling also posted that Jettie married John C. Maroney after Beulah died or left. They had 11 children.
- + 12845 M v [Charles H. Whittle](#)
- + 12846 M vi [Willis A. Whittle](#)
- + 12847 M vii [Green Berry Whittle, Jr.](#)
- + 12848 M viii [Olin Whittle](#)
- 12849 F ix Sallie Whittle - born 19 Apr 1898 and died 6 Jun 1988. Sallie married Paul R. Rankin and later Herman Wade. Sallie and Paul had 10 children.

1294. [Florence Cornelia Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Mahlon\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 19 July 1867 and died in Myrtle Springs, Van Zandt County, Texas, 18 Feb 1949.

Florence married Elmer Addison Sweptson, born Oct 1852 in Ohio. He died in 1932. Our chief Texas researcher, Glen Collier found this picture of Dr. Sweptson relaxing in front of the Myrtle Springs Baptist Church.



Courtesy of the Van Zandt County Texas, Pictorial History 1848-1994

Florence apparently made a wise choice. This poem, A "Ring" for the Doctor, written by Guy Malone tells us about the life and times in Texas in the early 20th century.

There was nothing more consoling
In those bygone, childhood days
As our kind, old family doctor
with his reassuring ways.

Gloom would hover like a storm
cloud;

Someone calling for the doctor
To dispel a wave of fright.

He would come and "bring the
babies";

Always there when dear ones left,
Saying words of joy and comfort,

Make our faces drawn and sad,
But that dear, old family doctor
Brought a smile that made us glad.

Sometimes fever like a bonfire
Made a loved one burn in pain.
then that kind, old family doctor
Gave a pill that worked like rain.

Often party lines would jingle
In the middle of the night -

Using hands so swift aand deft.

Dollars? Not his aim, i'll tell you.
Service? Yes, that was his goal.
I'm afraid God lost the pattern
Of that kind, old doctor's soul.

Then my tears burned like that fever
When he took his well earned rest.
But when God "rings" for a doctor
We must send the very best.

Courtesy of the Van Zandt County Texas, Pictorial History 1848-1994

1297. [Ravenel "Ralph" McBeth Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Mahlon\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in Dec 1872.

Ravenel first appears on his own farming in Saluda County on the 1900 census. His brother Zeddy also lives with him. He married Ceceil Iona Scurry, born Dec 1877. By 1920 Ralph and Ceceil have plenty of help on their farm.

- + 12971 M i [Travis Scurry Whittle](#)
- + 12972 M ii [Ravenel McBeth "RM" Whittle, Jr.](#)
- + 12973 M iii [Mahlon Dupre Whittle](#) - born 1902 and was alive in 1973.
- 12974 M iv Brooks Whittle - born 1905 and probably died before 1930. He is not named in the obituaries found for RM and Travis.
- 12975 F v Iona Whittle - born 1906. She married a Lee, and lived in Sumter, SC.
- 12976 M vi Harvey Whittle - born 1908 and died 14 Aug 1920.
- 12977 M vii [Carl Edgar Whittle](#) - born 1910.
- + 12978 M viii [Clyde Marvin Whittle](#) - born 1913.
- 12979 F ix Mary Ella Whittle - born 1918. She married a Suggs, and lived in Darlington County, SC.

1299. [Shelton Fox Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Mahlon\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, 5 May 1876 and died, 12 Dec 1950 in Dade County, Florida.

Shelton farmed in Johnston Township, Edgefield County. He married Elizabeth "Bessie" Gardner, born Jan 1870. Unlike his brother Ravenel, he didn't have the family farm laborers to continue. By 1930 he is the manager of a lunch stand in Columbia. His son Prevost and his family are living with them. Sometime before 1950 Shelton moved to Florida and lived with Prevost until his death.



Shelton Fox Whittle - Courtesy of Heather Patrick - March 7, 2008

The children of Bessie and Shelton from the 1910 census are:

- + 12991 M i [Prevost William Whittle](#)
- 12992 F ii Veo Whittle - born Mar 1898.
- 12993 F iii Eunice Whittle - born 1900.
- 12994 F iv Clara Whittle - born 1903.
- 12995 M v Reginald Whittle - born 1907 and died in 1916.

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The South Carolina Whittle Families

Fifth Generation

The Great Migration (continued)

1325. [James Clayton Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Reason\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1851 and died in Clearwater, Hillsborough County, Florida in 1921.

James was the last child of Reason's marriage to Martha McGraw. On the 1880 census, he is married to Anna E. (unknown but possibly Brown) and they have 4 children. On the 1910 census Anna says she bore 11 children, 6 are still living.

- + 13251 M i [William E. Whittle](#)
- 13252 F ii Eliza L. Whittle - born 1874.
- 13253 F iii Alice C. Whittle - born Apr 1876 and still living with her parents in 1900.
- 13254 F iv Laura Whittle - born 1879.
- + 13255 M v [Reason Alexander Whittle](#)
- 13256 F vi Mamie T. Whittle - born Jun 1887 and died in 1964. Mamie married an Etheridge.
- 13257 M vii George P. Whittle - born Jan 1890. No records have been found except a George C. Whittle listed as a boarder in the household of Ryan Polk on the 1930 census. This George was born in 1888 but his parents were from SC.
- 13258 M viii David Malachis Whittle - born 6 Mar 1892 and died 21 Nov 1902. He is buried in the Seminole Cemetery in Florida.



Courtesy of the Heritage Village Library and Archives, Largo, Florida (12/28/06)

This picture of James and his family was taken in 1896. Although not verified the back row is assumed to be Alice, William E. and Reason A. The front row, Mamie T., George P., James C., Anne E. and David M. James Clayton was a Clearwater City Councilman from 1911 through 1915.

1341. [Mary Jane Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 2 Nov 1844 and

died there 7 Oct 1928. She is buried at Emory Methodist Church, Saluda County.

Mary Jane married William Thomas Minick, born Feb 1832 and died 24 Nov 1923. The original Minick family arrived from Germany and migrated to Edgefield, SC at the time of the Revolution. William served the Confederacy in the 14th SC Infantry and was discharged at Hart's Island in 1865. On the 1900 census, Mary Jane said that 6 of their 7 children were still living.

- 13411 F i Lillia Victoria Minick - born 25 Feb 1867 and died 15 Apr 1941 in Hawthorne, FL.
- 13412 F ii Susan Minick - born 1869 and died before 1880.
- 13413 F iii Lula Minick born 1870.
- 13414 M iv Doc (David S) Minick - born 1872. If David S on the 1900 is Doc from 1870, there are 2 sons born to his marriage to Fannie, Willie D, 1894 and George M, 1897.
- 13415 M v Burr Addison Minick - 22 Feb 1874 and died 15 Aug 1948. Burr and Sallie Brown are found on the 1900 census. On the 1920 census 2 sons are listed, William Henry, 19 Oct 1907. died 9 Jun 1988, Burr Cooper, 6 Oct 1918, died 29 Sep 1969.
- 13416 M vi Jessie Pooser Minick - born 19 Feb 1877 and died 19 Jun 1932. On the 1920 census, he and his wife Bessie Wills list 9 children. Their sons are James Drayton, 1905, died 1947; Jessie Jr, 24 Jan 1908, died 11 May 1962; George Earl, 10 Jan 1910, died 18 Jun 1963; Mike Henry, 1 Oct 1919, died 16 Dec 1967; Thomas Earle, 2 Sep 1924, died 29 Jan 1941.
- 13417 M vii Olin Watson Minick - born 18 Feb 1884 and died 16 Apr 1954. He married Inez Shaw. They are living with his parents on the 1910 and 1920 census. 3 sons appear on the 1920 census. Steve Olin, 7 Feb 1911, died 14 Apr 1969; Joe Robert, 30 Apr 1913 and died after 1970, and John Adam, 21 Jan 1918, died 30 Nov 1999. The 1930 census also lists Meadors, 1922 and Ray, 1925.

1342. [Georgia Anna Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 17 Jul 1848 and died 13 Aug 1892.

Our thanks to Gerald Gibson and Mary Scott who provided this information. Georgianna married John Ruel Gibson (1839) and lived in Germanville, Saluda Division, Edgefield District, next door to John's widowed mother, Nancy Berry Gibson. John enlisted in Co. B, 14th SC Infantry at Camp Butler, SC on the same day as his brothers, Francis Marion Gibson (1840-aft. 1921) and Ambrose Gibson (1842-1880). All 3 survived the war, but Ambrose was traumatized by the experience and eventually committed suicide. John was discharged at Appomattox. John is buried in the Mount of Olives Cemetery in Johnston, SC. Findagrave reports his tombstone to bear an inscription from Georgianna:

"Dearest husband, thou hast left me.
Here thy loss I deeply feel,
But tis God who hath bereft me.
He can all my sorrows heal."

By 1880 John & Georgianna were living in Johnston, Edgefield District, where John was a merchant. They had the following children:

- 13421 F i Lula May Gibson - (1872-1893), who married Albert Gaines Ouzts (1869-1956).
- 13422 M ii Edgar Gibson - born 25 Oct 1873 and died before 1880).
- 13423 M iii Edward "Ebby" Ruel Gibson (1875-1956), he never married.
- 13425 M iv Luther Gibson, died as an infant (perhaps stillborn) in 1879.
Johnnie Estelle Gibson (1883-1953) married Herbert Harris Scott (1879-1947) on 25 Oct 1908 in Augusta, GA. On the 1900 census, "Stella" Gibson is living with her aunt Corrie Whittle and uncle Willie Moffett.
- 13424 F v

1343. [Allison Harvey Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 3 Dec 1848 and died in Calhoun County Alabama on 25 May 1931.

Allison left Edgefield County sometime before 1880. He is found on the 1880 census as a butcher living in Atlanta, GA. From information sent to us by Wade Prater, Harvey worked with his cousin Hezekiah Lynch in the junk business while he was in Georgia. Sometime before 1900 he moved to Calhoun County, AL where he returns to farming.

Allison married Eula Mae Moore after he left SC. Eula was born in GA, Mar 1857 and died in 1933. Allison and at least two of his children are buried in Patterson Cemetery in Calhoun County, AL.

Allison Harvey and Eula Mae Whittle

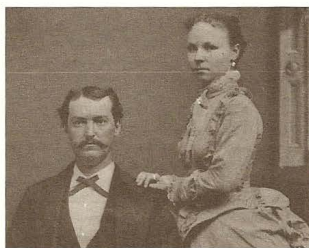
Allison Harvey was born on December 3, 1848 and died May 25, 1931. His father was Wilson Whittle, born 1828 and died 1863. His mother was Hezzabah Prater or Prator. His grandfather was James M. Whittle Jr. born 1808 and died October 1871. His grandmother Rebecca's last name maybe was Wilson. His great-grandfather was James M. Sr. born circa 1770 and died February 7, 1844. His great-grandmother was Lucretia (?).

Some of these Whittles are buried at the "Old Whittle Farm" four miles north of Batesburg, South Carolina.

It's family lore that two brothers landed at Norfolk, Virginia. Their names were William and James. The year is unknown.

What is known is that Harvey and Eula Moore were married in Atlanta, Georgia on May 15, 1876. Not much is known about them in Georgia. It is thought that Harvey was a store keeper in Cobb County. It is not known who Eula's mother and father were. It is family lore that one of Eula's sisters had a house that an officer for the Yankees used as his headquarters during the Civil War. It was during Sherman's march to the sea and everything in sight was being burned when Eula's sister begged him not to burn her house. He conceded, but before they left they burned all the furniture in the house that they couldn't steal. They also killed all the livestock, so it could not be eaten. They destroyed all the vegetables in the garden, but at least her house was standing and it was the only one left standing as far as you could see.

In the late 1890's Harvey and Eula moved to a farm near the New Liberty Community in Calhoun County, Alabama. It has been said that they had to move to Alabama because Harvey's health was bad.



Harvey and Eula Whittle (Wedding Picture)

Harvey and Eula's children were: Harvey Moore, who married Emma Roberts; Eugene Wilson, who married Minerva Hollingsworth, and they moved to Texas; Otis; Mary Maude, married Willis Landers, and they moved to Texas; Horace Floyd married Sudie Browning; Carrie Bell married A.M. Beard; Alma Pauline, who was

born May 1892 and died January 23, 1974. She married Byers Willis Sewell; Willie Neta, who was born December 5, 1894 and died November 29, 1917; Arthur Dewitt and Henry Holton were twins. They were born on September 11, 1896. They looked so much alike no one could tell them apart. They both even went into the navy. Arthur fell off a fence at the Whittle farm and broke his hip. He never recovered from it and died May 9, 1917. Henry died February 23, 1974.

Harvey, Eula and their daughter Willie and brother Arthur are buried at Patterson's Cemetery in Calhoun County, Alabama.

Submitted by: Tiffany Johnston, Jacksonville, AL

Sources: Family Records, Cemeteries Records, Some Records
 Researched by: Mrs. Fay Whittle

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Courtesy of "The Heritage of Calhoun County, Alabama" 1998

They had 10 children, 9 of whom were living by the 1910 census. Thanks to the article above provided by Jim Sexton, we now know that a son Otis was likely the one who died before the 1910 census.

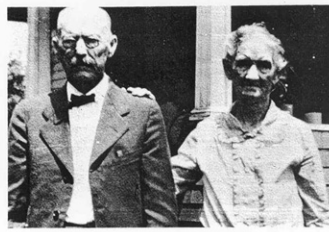
- + 13431 M i [Harvey Moore Whittle](#)
- + 13432 M ii [Eugene Wilson Whittle](#)
- 13433 F iii Mary Maude Whittle was born Mar 1882.
- + 13434 M iv [Horace Floyd Whittle](#)
- 13435 F v Carrie Bell Whittle was born July 1887.
- 13436 F vi Alma Pauline Whittle was born May 1892 and died 23 Jan 1974.
- 13437 F vii Willie Neta Whittle was born 5 Dec 1894 and died in 29 Nov 1917.
- + 13438 M viii [Henry Holton Whittle](#)
- 13439 M ix Arthur Dewitt Whittle was born 11 Sep 1896 and died 9 May 1917.

1344. [Minick Quincy Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson\)](#) was born in Edgefield County on 23 Jan 1852 and died at home in Leesville, SC on 1 May 1930.

Minick married Elizabeth "Lizzie" M Etheridge. She was the daughter of Joseph Etheridge (1810 -

1891) and Elizabeth Inabinet (1811 - 1881). Based on the 1870 census, Joseph and Elizabeth had 3 children still living at home, [Tyre](#), Joseph and Elizabeth. Elizabeth was born 5 Dec 1857 and died 10 Aug 1945.

When asked what his middle initial "Q" stood for, Minick always said "Quick".



Minick Q. and Lizzie Etheredge Whittle

Minick Q. Whittle Family

Submitted by Mrs. Marion Sadler

Minick Q. Whittle was born January 23, 1852 in Saluda County, son of Captain Bill Whittle and Hepsiba Prater Whittle. On November 22, 1874 he married Lizzie Etheredge whose mother was an Inabinet. She was born December 5, 1857 and died August 1945.

In the fall of 1905 they moved to Leesville to take the educational advantages offered by Leesville College for their children. Mr. Whittle bought the Fox land on the Columbia-Augusta highway, present day Church street or U.S. #1. Owners of this tract of land now have their homes here: Mrs. J.P. Shealy, Mrs. Quimby Eubanks, Mrs. J. Harold Epting and Mrs. Marion Sadler. Mr. Whittle, a farmer, also bought other land in the area which he cultivated.

Children of this family were:

1. Eula born Dec. 24, 1875 married William Logan (Doc) Wise. Their children were a. DeAlva married 1st. Preston Shealy, Jr.—daughter, Clair. 2nd. F.H. Hendrix, Jr.—children—Gail and F. Hampton Hendrix, 3rd. b. Alma Teresa married Josiah Shealy—children—Preston, J.P. Jr., and Eula Beth. d. Elizabeth married Lynn W. Cooper—one son, Lynn, Jr. d. Lorraine Wise was killed in World War II.
2. J. Edgar Whittle born July 30, 1877 married 1st. Addie Williams—one son, Edgar Jr. 2nd. married Janie Cash—one son, Claude.
3. Alma born Aug. 17, 1879 married Noah Derrick, no issue. Both were life time employees of Matthews and Bouknight Store in Leesville. Their home on the corner of Main and King streets still known as The Derrick House.
4. Claude W. Whittle born Aug. 1, 1881 married Detta Cobb. Three daughters: a. Clemmie married Dan McMullen, Largo, Fla. children—Juanita, Dessa Gail and Claude Daniel McMullen. b. Mildred c. Erma



5. Curtis C. Whittle born Aug. 8, 1883 married Effie Wise. Children: Curtis, Jr., Rudolph, Dorothy, M.Q., Herbert, Keith and Freddie.
6. Clarence Whittle born Nov. 14, 1885 married Mollie —. Five daughters: Mary, Elizabeth, Virginia, Ruth, Majorie and Hilda.
7. Elizabeth (Lizzie) born Oct. 13, 1887 married Mark Manchester Shealy. Four children: [Addie](#), [Carlisle](#), [Leon](#) and [Mary Alma](#).
8. Otis Whittle born Sept. 7, 1890 married Mary Murphy—adopted son, Billy.
9. Verda born Sept. 3, 1893 married Haynes Roof. Children: June, Haynes, [Whit](#), Jack and Coke who married Pauline Stone—their children—John, Jack and Verda.
10. Eunice born Nov. 9, 1895 married S. Quimby Eubanks—one son, S.Q. Jr., married 1st. Billie Livingston. Their 3 children: Sharon, Bob and Bill. 2nd marriage to Mrs. Carnelle W. Fox.

Photo and Biography Courtesy of Nathan and Emma Shealy

The children of Minick and Elizabeth are:

- + 13441 F i [Eula Hepsy Whittle](#)
- + 13442 M ii [Joseph Edgar Whittle](#)
- 13443 F iii [Alma Whittle](#)
- + 13444 M iv [Claude Wilson Whittle](#)
- + 13445 M v [Curtis Columbus Whittle](#)
- + 13446 M vi [Clarence M. Whittle](#)
- + 13447 F vii [Elizabeth "Lizzie" Ethel Whittle](#)
- + 13448 M viii [Otis C. Whittle](#)

13449 F ix Verda Whittle - born 3 Sep 1893 and died in 1927. Her husband Haynes Roof was born in 1891 and died in 1966.

134410 F x Eunice Inez Whittle - born 9 Nov 1895 and died 27 Aug 1994. Her husband S. Quimby Eubanks was born in 1897 and died in 1965. Aunt Eunice was a Leesville Elementary School teacher.

The State Newspaper, 1 May 1930

MINICK Q. WHITTLE

Special to The State.

Batesburg, May 3.—Minick Q. Whittle died at his home in Leesville Wednesday, May 7. Mr. Whittle was born in Saluda county, near Batesburg, in 1852, and lived in this section all of his life. He married Miss Elizabeth Etheridge in 1874, and is survived by his widow and eight children, 30 grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren. The surviving children, all of whom were at the bedside, are as follows: J. E. Whittle, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Mrs. N. A. Derrick, Leesville; C. W. Whittle, Largo, Fla.; C. M. Whittle, Huntington, W. Va.; Curtis Whittle, Williston; Mrs. M. M. Shealy, Batesburg; O. C. Whittle, Tampa, Fla.; Mrs. S. Q. Eubanks, Leesville.

Mr. Whittle devoted most of his life to the farm and was very successful. He joined the Methodist denomination many years ago and was a member of the Leesville church at the time of his death. He devoted much of his time and means to the relief of suffering; was a devoted husband and father; and a citizen above reproach.

His remains were buried in the Leesville cemetery Thursday afternoon, May 8, following services in the home, which were in charge of the Rev. J. O. Smith, his late pastor, who was assisted by the Rev. W. F. Heirs, pastor of Wittenberg Lutheran church. The large attendance of relatives and friends, and the many beautiful floral offerings, attested the high esteem in which the deceased was held.

Courtesy of Brenda Laney, June 2014

15 years later, 10 Aug 1945

MRS. MINNICK Q. WHITTLE

Leesville, Aug. 10 —(Special)— Mrs. Minnick Q. Whittle, 87, died early this morning after a short illness. She made her home with her daughter, Mrs. S. Quinby Eubanks of Leesville.

Before her marriage to the late Minnick Q. Whittle, she was Miss Elizabeth Etheridge. She was a devoted member of her church and active in its work.

She is survived by four sons: J. E. Whittle of Oklahoma City, Okla., C. W. Whittle of Largo, Fla., C. M. Whittle of Huntington, W. Va., Otis Whittle of Tampa, Fla.; three daughters, Mrs. N. A. Derrick, Mrs. M. M. Shealy and Mrs. S. Q. Eubanks, all of Leesville; 30 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the graveside in Leesville cemetery, conducted by the Rev. L. A. Carter. The body will remain at the Barrs Funeral home until Sunday morning when it will be carried to the home of Mrs. S. Q. Eubanks.

Courtesy of Brenda Laney, June 2014

1345. [Eudora Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 5 Jan 1853 and died 27 Aug 1919.

Eudora married Joel Etheridge, born 1845 and died in 1893. He was the son of Joseph and Elizabeth Etheridge.

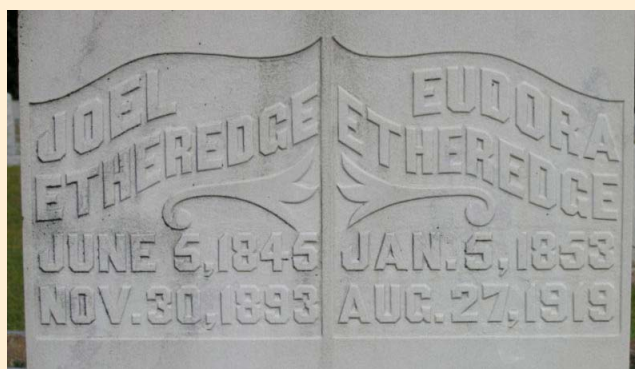
"A Supposed Suicide", Edgefield Advertiser, Dec. 7, 1893, page 3

On Friday last the dead body of Mr. Joel Etheridge, post master of Dupont, Edgefield Co., was found in the woods near his place. The top of his head was blown off and his face was burned and his coat was also burned off his body. Near by was a stump on fire. It is supposed that he placed loaded shells in the stump and then held his head over it. It is said his daughter married against his wishes and it is supposed that this caused him to take his own life.

Dora and Joel can be found on the 1880 census with 4 of their 9 children. On the 1900 census Dora said she had 9 children all still living.

- 13451 F i Cornelia "Nelia" Etheridge - born 17 June 1874 and died 14 Sep 1947. She married married George Rufus Taylor. Two of their daughters married Shealy's.
- 13452 F ii Lila Eudora Etheridge - born Sep 1876 and died in 1960. She married Fred Calhoun Black.
- 13453 F iii Eppie Louise Etheridge - born 9 Jan 1879, died 14 Mar 1943, twin sister of Bessie. She apparently never married.
- 13454 F iv Emmie Bryce "Bessie" Etheridge - twin sister of Eppie born 9 Jan 1879 and died 7 Jun 1906. She was married to J. O. Matthews.
- 13455 F v Kate Etheridge - born 26 Aug 1881 and died 6 Oct 1975. Married SC Congressman Butler Black Hare.
- 13456 M vi Uriah Pearce Etheridge - born 5 Jun 1884 and died 7 Dec 1934. He married Amanda Rebecca "Bessie" Walsh. 1 Son, Maurice, born 1910.
- 13457 M vii Herman Elwell Etheridge - born 11 Jun 1887 and died 15 Dec 1959, He married Evelyn Lucy Addy. 2 Sons are Dalton, born 1909 and Edgar, born 1922. His second marriage was Abigail Louise "Abby Lou" Kneece.
- 13458 F viii Eula Mae Etheridge - born 30 Sep 1889 and died 10 Jan 1968. She married Walter James Ballentine.
- 13459 M ix Leonard Boyce Etheridge - born 27 Sep 1892 and died 20 Dec 1963. He married Rose Lillian Browne.

Here are the Joel and Eudora headstones in the Leesville cemetary.



Courtesy of Brenda Laney and Find a Grave - July 2014

1346. [Sophia Victoria Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1855 and died in 1915 at Williston, South Carolina.

Sophia married Paul Samuel Quattlebaum. Paul was born 4 Jul 1852 and died 8 Dec 1938. Paul and "Sophie" had 9 children, 8 were living on their farm in Williston on the 1900 census. Curtis Culumbus Whittle bought his land from Paul and Sophia about 1910. Keith Whittle, one of Custis Whittle's sons, said that he never understood why this happened from his father, but knew it was true. Apparently the Quattlebaum family did not continue their dynasty in Williston, SC. Most Quattlebaums have now disappeared from South Carolina.

- 13461 M i Willard J Quattlebaum - born 1879. He may have had one son named Willard J, Jr.

- 13462 F ii Lessie Mae Quattlebaum - born 1881..
- 13463 F iii Cora A Quattlebaum - born 1883.
- 13464 M iv Milton Thomas Quattlebaum - born 1885 and died in 1929. He married Daisy Rushton.
- 13465 M v Judson Paul Quattlebaum - born in 1887. He is found in Jacksonville, FL after 1910.
- 13466 F vi Essie Ella Quattlebaum - born 1890. She married a Rushton.
- 13467 F vii Eva Quattlebaum - born 1893.
- 13468 F viii Gladys Quattlebaum - born 1895.

Paul's father was Thomas Quattlebaum. His grandfather was General Quattlebaum.

By LOUISE RILEY
Guest Writer

Paul Quattlebaum's Family And Their Involvement In The Civil War

Almost a year and a half after the first shot of the war, and at the urging of the African American abolitionist, Frederick Douglass and others, September 1862, President Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation and turned the war into an official fight for the freedom of slaves.

During the war, the entire output of Quattlebaum Rifle Works went to the Confederate Army, but age and a back injury prevented Paul from service. When Columbia was attacked, Gen. Quattlebaum joined the troops for home defense and took part in the fighting around the capital.

Gen. Sherman's way to bring the South to its knees was his scorch-and-burn policy and his troops were especially harsh on South Carolina because of the first shot of the Civil War. Atlanta burned and the troops moved through Georgia to Savannah; from there the main army was thought to go to Charleston, but Sherman crossed the Savannah River and moved north of Charleston into Orangeburg. There he waited and in the meantime small detachments were moving through our area scavenging for food leaving burned homes and farms in their path on their march to Columbia.

Although historians debate the issue, it may have been a small detachment under the command of Major Gen. Hugh Judson Kilpatrick that came through here and attempted to burn the Mitchell house on Highway 1 and possibly some of his men were ordered to burn Paul Quattlebaum's home.

Sherman's forces targeted specific property of prominent Confederates. As Sherman's army converged on Columbia, Paul Quattlebaum's property at Pinarea was not in line of march, but a detachment was sent to burn his home. Paul was helping defend Columbia, and all his sons were soldiers in the war except those too young.

Gen. Joseph Wheeler's men at this point in the war could only harass and nip at the heels of the Union soldiers and indeed three of his men had been at the Quattlebaum home that morning where they had been fed and given supplies. It was a cold day in February 1865, the bombardment of Columbia could be heard even at that distance, and only the children and women were at home. The Union soldiers left a young Negro boy to hold the reins of their horses.

The first thing the Union major asked was had any "Rebels" been there and were told they had just left. The men scattered throughout the house, one Yankee soldier gathered the silver from the table set for dinner and another sacked the sideboard. The major went from room to room taking burning logs from the fireplaces and placing them in the beds. Grandmother Quattlebaum protested and was cursed and pushed aside. She went to the back porch and said one word to the boy holding the reins, "Yankees" which sent the scared young boy running for the woods. The Union soldiers thought he was running to get the Rebels so they abruptly mounted their horses and left. The ex-slaves on the place dragged the burning beds outside and dumped them in the millpond a short distance from the house. Through the brave action of Grandma Quattlebaum, and an ex-slave, Martin, and others the house and flour mill on the list to be burned was saved.


The Yankee troops were met by an outfit of Confederate troops after they left the Quattlebaum house and one of the men was killed in the ensuing skirmish. Pinarea was saved but unfortunately when tenants were living in the house, it burned in the 1920s.

Gen. Paul Quattlebaum, after the war returned to his farm and milling interests and was a director of the Columbia and Augusta Railroad that came through our area and was so instrumental in the forming of the towns of Batesburg and Leesville.

The Quattlebaum rifle had P Quattlebaum stamped on the barrel. Why not baum? There are signed deeds with his father's name John spelled Quattlebaum, several censuses have it spelled with a bum and in court martial papers found at the South Carolina in which Brig. Gen. Paul Quattlebaum presided over in 1843, the recording officer spelled it with a bum, but by 1860, Paul Quattlebaum clearly signed his name to the Ordinance of Secession with a baum. I believe only Quattlebaums signed their name with a bum, then later the baum and the early rifle had P Quattlebaum because that is how they were spelling it when the rifle was made. We will never know for sure, but it is an interesting mystery.

With information from the Quattlebaum Family History by M.M. Quattlebaum printed in 1978, we learn much about the history of South Carolina through the children of Sarah Caroline (Jones) and Gen. Paul Quattlebaum.

1st Generation V - Col. Paul Jones Quattlebaum (May 19, 1836-Jan. 4, 1883) was born at Pinarea near Leesville. He was educated in the schools of Lexington County and graduated in the class of 1857 from the United States Military Academy. He entered the regular army service and while stationed at Newport, Ky., married Susan Moseby Winston (Feb. 10, 1836-Feb. 15, 1922). She was the daughter of



Pinarea home of Sarah (Jones) and Gen. Paul Quattlebaum.

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Samuel Winston and his wife, the former Mary Martin.

As a young lieutenant, Paul saw service in the Indian wars on the Pacific Coast. He was stationed there when South Carolina seceded from the Union and he resigned his commission and after a voyage around South America, finally made his way back to the South and tendered his service to the Secretary of War of the Confederacy. He was assigned to duty with the First Texas Brigade as aide-de-camp to Gen. Wigfall serving in various capacities and as colonel of artillery, commanding the Fifth Texas Regiment, he was assigned to the harbor defenses of Mobile, Ala. It is said that he was promoted to the rank of brigadier general just before the close of the war, but he never assumed title and was always known as "Col. Quattlebaum."

Following the war, he lived for a while at Ridge Spring. Then Paul returned to Mobile and was engaged in engineering work and subsequently entered the corps of engineers. For seven years prior to his death, he was the engineer in charge of the United States Works on the Chattahoochee River and Flint River with headquarters at Columbus, Ga. He died there and was buried at Covington, Ky. Paul and his wife had one son.

Generation V - Claudia Josephine Quattlebaum will be presented last.

Generation V - Theodore Adolphus Quattlebaum (May

11, 1842-March 16, 1865) was born in his father, Paul Quattlebaum's, Pinarea home. He was entered as a cadet at the Arsenal Academy in Columbia Jan. 1, 1860, but at the beginning of hostilities, he seems to have transferred to The Citadel in Charleston. He was there in January 1861, and was a member of the gun squad that fired the first shot of the war at the *Star of the West* Jan. 9, 1861.

He left The Citadel and enlisted Dec. 31, 1861, as a private in Company K, 20th Regiment, Infantry, South Carolina Volunteers, under Capt. W.D.M. Harmon. T.A. is next listed on the company roll for April 30, 1862, as second sergeant. He appears on the roll of field and staff of the 20th Regiment, Jan. 1, 1863, as sergeant major.

Early in 1864 he is recorded as lieutenant, Company A First (Gregg's) Regiment of South Carolina Volunteers. Nov. 1, 1864, he was transferred to Company K. In the fighting around Averysborough, N.C., known as the battle of Smith's Farm, he fell mortally wounded March 16, 1865. At the time T.A. was commanding his company and fighting a rear guard action covering the retreat of Gen. Joseph E. Johnson. He was buried by his body servants in a marked grave, and his remains were later transferred to the family cemetery on Lightwood Creek in Lexington County.

Next week ... *Paul Quattlebaum's children continued.*

Courtesy of Louise Riley, The Twin-City News, March 8, 2007

1347. [William Floyd Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 30 Sept 1856 and died in Pelham, Mitchell County, GA 26 Sep 1938.

William Floyd married Amanda Catherine Etheridge, probably a 1st cousin of Elizabeth Etheridge Whittle, daughter of Tyre Etheridge. Amanda was born 21 Feb 1857 and died 21 Feb 1939. Based on information from the Etheridge family history, Amanda's parents were Allen Etheridge, Jr. and Elizabeth Rinehart. On the 1880 census they are living with Floyd's mother Hepsey and their first 2 daughters. By 1900 the family numbers 13 children. Sometime between 1910 and 1920, Floyd and Amanda pulled up stakes in SC and moved to Pelham, GA. It is interesting to note that Yancy Whittle (John/Burrell/Chinchen) also lived there in the same time frame. Did they know each other?

- 13471 F i Rosa Ela Whittle - born 1877 and died in 1956. Ela married James Mell Sawyer.
- 13472 F ii Essie Alma Whittle - born 1879 and died from burns suffered in 1885.
- + 13473 M iii [Luther Artimus "Bud" Whittle](#)
- 13474 F iv Annie Bell Whittle - born 1882 and died in 1989.
- + 13475 M v [Arthur Cromwell Whittle](#)
- + 13476 M vi [Ernest Wilson Whittle](#)
- 13477 F vii Corrie Elizabeth Whittle - born 1887 and died in 1980. Corrie married Bert Wright.
- + 13478 M viii [Allen Webster Whittle](#)

- 13479 M ix Collin Floyd Whittle - born 1891 and died in 1893.
- + 134710 M x [William Floyd Whittle, Jr.](#)
- 134711 F xi Alison Minick Whittle - born 1895 and died in 1897.
- 134712 F xii Louella Whittle - born 1891 and died in 1924. Louella married William Thomas Atkinson.
- 134713 F xiii Hattie Mae Whittle - born 1899. Hattie married Leroy Tucker.

1348. [Ella Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1859 and died there 26 Dec 1888.

Ella married Melvin Milton Quattlebaum on 1 Jan 1878. Melvin was born 26 Nov 1853 and died in Mar 1934. They can be found on the 1880 census living in Lexington with their 1st born son, Lewis, age 1. Ella died at age 29 of unknown causes. It is reported that she had a 2nd son named Olin Emanuel nicknamed "Poss". Milton remarried Carrie Timmerman and they had an additional 9 children.

1349. [Cora "Corrie" W. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson\)](#) was born in Edgefield County Sept 1861 and died there after 1930.

Corrie married William "Willie" B. Moffett, born Dec 1857. They are on the 1900 census where she reports that 4 of her 5 children are still living. Her niece, Stella Gibson, daughter of John and Georgiana Whittle Gibson also lives with them. On the 1930 census Corrie is living with her son Clarence Moffett.

1352. [James P. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., William Floyd\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 16 Aug 1847 and died in Madison County, Florida on 18 Oct 1888.

James P and his wife Georgia Ann Brady had one daughter Ella Teresa. They are all buried in Brady Cemetery, Madison County, FL. Georgia's tombstone says she was born 26 Oct 1849 and died 5 Mar 1909. The 1900 census says Georgia is a widow who bore 1 child and has no living children. The dates on Ella Teresa's tombstone are 25 Oct 1882, 10 Oct 1883.

1353. [Milton Asberry Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., William Floyd\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in Dec 1848 and died in Madison County, Florida before 1910.

Milton is one year old on the 1850 census and living with his parents William Floyd and Sophia in Edgefield Co. On the 1870 census Milton is living with his father and stepmother and working on their farm in Madison County, FL. He married Julia Almera Lanier and by 1880 they have 3 children. Julia was born about 1854 and died before 1900. Without the 1890 census, it is impossible to identify any other children, however by 1900 they have a 7 year old daughter named Anne who would be 17 years older than her sister. There are no Whittles found in Madison County by 1910.

- 13531 M i William G. Whittle - born about 1873. We have no further records.
- 13532 F ii Julia A. Whittle - born Sept 1876. We have no further records.
- + 13533 M iii [James Rema Whittle](#)
- 13534 F iv Anne B. Whittle - born Oct 1893. We have no further records.

1362. [Francis Coke Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wesley\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 8 Nov 1853 and died in Emory, Rains County, Texas on 26 Nov 1915. Coke was a merchant in Emory. Our chief Texas researcher Glen Collier provided us with FC's obituary from The Rains County Genealogical Society, March

2002 issue. <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/19130446/>

November 26, 1915
 Death Visits Emory Saturday Morning
 F.C. Whittle Dies After Suffering Few Days From
 Stroke of Paralysis.
 Mr. F.C. Whittle, one of our businessmen and a highly
 respected citizen of our little city, died at his home on
 North Ravine street about one o'clock Saturday
 morning as a result of a stroke of paralysis he had had
 about four days previously. He was never able to talk
 after receiving the stroke but seemed to remain
 conscious up to the last and his life seemed to pass out
 quietly into the vale from whence no man returneth,
 surround by all the members of his family. Mr.
 Whittle was born in Batesbur county, South Carolina
 November 8th, 1853, married to Miss Ella Cates
 October 28th, 1879 and came to Texas in 1885. He is
 survived by his wife, four children - W.C., John,
 William and Mrs. A.K. Boswell - all who reside in
 this city, a sister, Mrs. Nettie Willis of Burg,
 Arkansas, and another sister who lives in South
 Carolina. He had been a Christian since early life and
 a member of and deacon of the Baptist church. He
 was a good citizen, a lover of home and his family and
 his passing from this life leaves a ragged edge of
 sorrow and mourning in its wake. His remains were
 laid to rest Saturday afternoon in the Daugherty
 cemetery, in the presence of a large concourse of
 relatives and friends, Rev. C.M. Martin conducting the
 funeral services. *The Leader* would offer its sincerest
 sympathy and condolences to the mourning
 companion and sorrowing children.

Courtesy of the Rains County Ledger and Genealogical Society

Coke married Florella Cates in South Carolina and they moved to Texas after 1880. Ella was the daughter of William Cates and Talethy Padgett. Ella was born 17 Jan 1857 and died 19 Jan 1929. Coke, Ella, Ella's parents and some of their children are buried in Dougherty Cemetery near Emory, TX.

Thanks to information provided to us in March 2012 by Buddy Cates, Dougherty Cemetery is about a mile from the original Cates land in East Texas and 300 acres are still owned by the Cates family. Coke and all of his sons, except Will, were merchants in Rains County.

- + 13621 M i [William Capers Whittle](#)
- 13622 M ii John W. Whittle - was born 21 Apr 1880 and died 3 Feb 1922 from influenza. His death certificate says he was single.
- + 13623 M iii [William "Will" M. Whittle](#)
- 13624 F iv Mattie Whittle was born in 1888. She married A.K. Boswell.
 James Samson Whittle
<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/19130520/>
- Daugherty Cemetery, Rains Co. Cemeteries of TX
 Submitted by Elaine Nall Bay
- Rains Co. Leader
 Jan 12, 1912
 Emory, Texas, January 8, 1912
- 13625 M v In loving remembrance of Jimmie Whittle, son of F.C. & F.E.
 Whittle, born August 8, 1896, and died Dec 29, 1911, aged 15 years,
 4 months, and 20 days. He graduated from the Emory school under
 Prof. Horsley last spring. He was taking some special studies under

Prof. Bradford. He was the youngest child. The funeral services were conducted at the family residence in Emory by the writer and Rev. C.M. Martin. He was buried at Daugherty cemetery. There was placed on his grave 2 beautiful wreaths, one by Sister Maud Hill and Glass.---His pastor, D.W. Garvin.

1363. [Nancy Emaline Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wesley\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 8 Dec 1857 and died there in Oct 1892.

Nancy was first married to William "WJ" Jefferson Cates, born 1856 and died Jan 1880. Cates family history says that WJ was murdered. On the 1880 census Nancy is head of household and there are 2 Cates boys.

13631 M i Clarence Cates - born 1878.

13632 M ii Sampson Cates - born 1880.

Both Clarence and Sampson moved to Texas as soon as they were of age. After WJ died, Nancy married George Wesley Asbill and that they had two children:

13633 F i Bessie Asbill - born 17 May 1887 and died 22 Nov 1973. "She married Boyd Traywick Duffie on January 3, 1903. She and Boyd Traywick are buried at Butler Methodist Church's cemetery in Saluda, SC. They had 6 children. A 7th child died in infancy." Our thanks to Doris C. Brock for information about her grandmother Bessie and uncle Bunyon.

13634 M ii Bunyon Wesley Asbill - born 16 Jun 1883 and died 29 Mar 1902. "He is buried at Cedar Groves Presbyterian Church's Cemetery in Leesville, SC. He was married to Corie Edna Risinger, and I believe they had 4 children. Corie was the daughter of Wesley Risinger and Rosa Shealy".

"After Nancy Emaline died, George Wesley Asbill married Corrie E. Miller. They had 7 girls and 5 boys—at least that's my count so far!! Corrie was born in April of 1867/1869. She died February 2, 1962. George Wesley was born 2 Jun 1865 and died 15 Jan 1936 in Columbia, SC."

1364. [Mary Anna Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wesley\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 9 Nov 1859 and died there 14 Jun 1930.

Mary Anna married [Mackalilly Pope Whittle](#) , son of Mark B. Whittle from the Ambrose Whittle line.

1365. [Wesley Annette "Nettie" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wesley\)](#) was born in Edgefield County Feb 1863 and died in Burg, Arkansas before 1920.

Nettie is living in Edgefield County with her widowed mother Hulda on the 1880 census. Sometime before 1884, Nettie married William "Bill" M. Willis. Bill was born in Edgefield in Jan 1865 and died before 1930. On the 1900 census they are farming in Lexington, SC. Sometime after 1900 they will move to Howard County, AK. Nettie says she only bore 1 child on the 1910 census, a daughter Kizza, born Mar 1884.

1383. [Augustus Alonzo "Gus" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Malachi\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 27

Apr 1891 and died in Roanoke, VA on 19 Dec 1949.

Our thanks to Claude Medlin, Jr. for providing this information about his family. Claude says that Gus and his brother Roy were home builders and traveled around North and South Carolina during the depression years. Gus married Junia Bernice Turner, born 1904 and died in 1979.

- 13831 F i Sarah Genevieve Whittle - born 1926 and died in 1999. She married Emile Christian.
- 13832 F ii Olgus Bernice "Pot" Whittle - born 1932. She married Claude Vernon Medlin, Sr.
- 13833 F iii Iris Camelia Whittle - born 13 Oct 1938. She married Marshall Phillip Everett.
- 13834 M iv Connie LaRue Whittle - born 19 Nov 1941.

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The South Carolina Whittle Families

Fifth Generation

The Great Migration (Continued)

1732. [Ruben Elly Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Joseph, Ely\)](#) was born in Butler County, Alabama in 1861 and probably died in Santa Rosa County, Florida after 1910.

Ruben is working at a mill and living with his sister Martha on the 1880 census. One report on Ancestry.com says Ruben married Emmie Jane Traweek on 4 Dec 1881 and they lived in Santa Rosa, FL. There is an Emily J. Traweek living in Butler County, AL on the 1880 census who could be the right candidate.

By 1900, Ruben and Emmie J have their hands full raising 9 children. They are living in Callihan, Conecuh, AL. The 1900 census also shows a cousin Walter living with them, who is most likely the son of Eldred Whittle. Sometime before 1910 they decide to leave Alabama and move to Santa Rosa County, Florida. On the 1910 census Ruben is a farmer with 7 children still at home to help with the chores. Emmie says she bore 9 children, all living.

- 17321 F i Daughter - born 1887.
- 17322 F ii Ida B. Whittle - born 1888.
- 17323 F iii Ruby L. Whittle - born Aug 1890.
- 17324 F iv Emily Pearl Whittle - born Jul 1892.
- 17325 F v Nancy Grace Whittle - born Jan 1893.
- 17326 F vi Mattie M. Whittle - born Sep 1895.
- 17327 F vii Martha E. Whittle - born 1896.
- + 17328 M viii [Eldridge Jay Whittle](#)
- + 17329 M ix [Thomas Jefferson Whittle](#)

1762. [Joseph H. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Joseph, Hezekiah\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 19 Jun 1871 and died 22 Mar 1934 in Columbia, SC.

No Joseph Whittle of the right age is found on the 1900 or 1910 census, however, the Joseph Whittle living in Aiken on the 1920 census seems to fit the bill as the only son of Hezekiah Whittle. He is married to Ollie Corbitt and she is 16 years younger than Joseph. Ollie died in 1945. Joseph says he is in the grocery store business. Three daughters are living in their household on both the 1920 and 1930 census:

- 17621 F i Mertice Whittle - born 1909. She was the informant on her father's death certificate which also verifies his father as H Whittle.
- 17622 F ii Hattie Mae Whittle - born 1915.
- 17623 F iii Annie Whittle - born 1917.

1775. [Gary Buster Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Joseph, Milton\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 9 Sep 1884 and died 21 Jul 1958 in Lexington, SC.

Buster retired from the twister room in a textile factory. He was married to Pinkey Jennings born 11 Apr 1890 and died 5 Jul 1965.

The children of their marriage are:

- 17751 F i Lois Whittle - married a Warren.
- 17752 F ii Maddie Whittle - married a Warren.
- 17753 F iii Agatha Whittle - married a Dunlap.
- 17754 F iv Francis Whittle - married a Black.
- 17755 F v Gertrude Whittle
- 17753 F vi Jesse Whittle - married a Wood.
- 17753 M vii Joseph Buster Whittle
- 17753 M viii David Leroy Whittle - born 1930 and died 1992.

1812. [Hillary Quincy Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, Hartwell\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1850 and possibly died before 1880.

Based on the Index of Wills & Estate Administrations, abstracted by Mrs. Phyllis Willson, 21 Oct 1984, Book F, Page 299: "Hartwell Whittle, wife Edney, 1/3 of estate, 26 Oct 1877, oldest son Hillary Whittle executor, sons and daughters, but unnamed."

HQ Whittle is found on the 1860 census, age 10. This is the only record found for Hillary Quincy Whittle.

1813. [Amos M. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, Hartwell\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1852 and died there Jun 1892.

Amos and his wife Mary A (unknown) are on the 1880 census living in Mobley Township. One posting on Ancestry.com says that Amos' middle name is McGraw. If this is true, it might be a clue to his grandmother's maiden name (Nancy, wife of John Whittle).

On 15 Jun 1893, a complaint was filed with the Edgefield County Probate Court by Mary Whittle against both her children. Amos owned land that he purchased from [Manchester C. Whittle](#), 8 Nov 1890. In the complaint she states that "the defendants are in possession of said tract of land and wrongfully and unjustly withhold from plaintiff the possession of her said interest." From this it is assumed that Amos may have left her out of his estate. Without a copy of his will however, this is only an assumption.

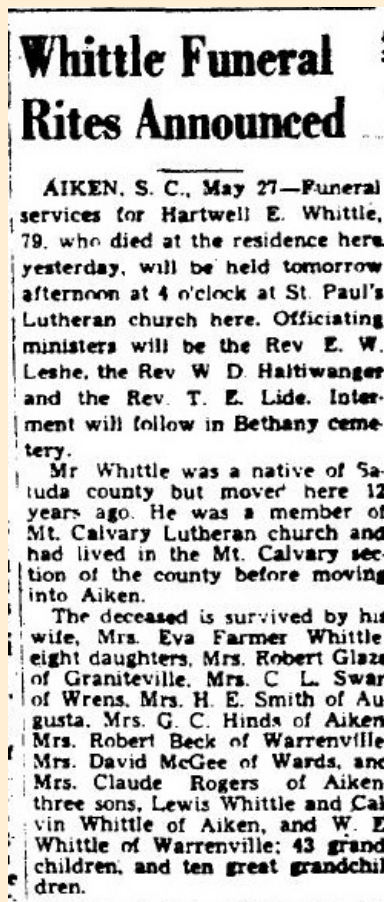
- 18131 F i M. Lenora Whittle - born in 1875. No further records have been found.
- + 18132 M ii [James Oscar Whittle](#)

1818. [Hartwell Eugene Whittle, Jr. \(Burris, James Sr., John, Hartwell\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 27 Jan 1864 and died in Aiken County, 27 May 1942.

Hartwell and his brother Henry bought land in Wards Township, Aiken County and started farming and raising families about 1890. Hartwell married Eva Farmer on 2 Feb 1888. They worked their way through 8 daughters before Hartwell got his first son. From census data and a family data sheet on file with the Old Edgefield Genealogical Society, Hartwell and Eva's children are:

- 18181 F i Allie Idonia Whittle - born 16 Nov 1890 and married Robert Glazer.
- 18182 F ii Bessie Jeanette Whittle - born 9 Mar 1892 and married Claude Rodgers.
- 18183 F iii Bertha Monroe Whittle - born 29 Jul 1893 and married C. L. Swann.
- 18184 F iv Eva Setbell Whittle - born 27 Oct 1894 and married H. E. Smith.
- 18185 F v Hattie Beatrice Whittle - born 3 Apr 1897 and married David McGee.
- 18186 F vi Ada Matilda Whittle - born 3 Aug 1898 and married G. C. Hines.
- 18187 F vii Mattie Lee Whittle - born 7 Oct 1899 and married a Bodie.
- 18188 F viii Lucy Cleo Whittle - born 9 Apr 1901 and married Robert Beck.
- 18189 M ix Wilber Eugene Whittle - born 25 May 1903.
- 181810 M x Lewis Hayward Whittle - born 17 Dec 1905. Lewis and Carvin owned the Whittle Lincoln/Mercury dealership in Aiken.
- 181811 M xi Calvin Brunson Whittle - born 19 Apr 1908 and died 2 Feb 1992.

Eva was born 2 Apr 1872 and died 30 Sep 1953. Both Eva and Hartwell are buried at Bethany Cemetery, Aiken, SC. They had a record setting 43 grandchildren in 1942.



Courtesy The Aiken Standard

1819. [Henry L. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, Hartwell\)](#) was born in Edgefield County Mar 1867 and

probably died before 1920 in Aiken County, SC.

Henry and his brother Hartwell had adjacent farm lands in Ward Township, Aiken County. Henry married Lydia S. (unknown). On the 1900 census, Sallie McGee, Henry's niece, is living with them. Sallie is age 18 so she would not be on the 1880 census and because the 1890 census is non-existent, it is difficult to identify her parents. Daniel and Sarah McGee are living in Saluda County so she is mostly likely not their daughter. Until there is further evidence we will assume she is the daughter of John and Marina McGee, and they both may have died before 1900.

Lydia died before 1910, on that census Henry says he is a widower. Neither Henry or any of his children are on the 1920 census, his brother Hartwell has a new neighbor.

18191 M i Dallas L. Whittle - born May 1889.

18192 M ii Henry S. Whittle - born Jul 1890.

18193 M iii John B. Whittle - born Nov 1892.

18194 M iv Austin A. Whittle - born Aug 1895.

18195 F v Lilly Mae - born Apr 1897.

18112. [Calvin Monroe Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, Hartwell\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 8 Mar 1873 and died 18 Nov 1948 in Oakland, Alameda County, California. His death certificate confirms his mother's maiden name as Watson.

Calvin retired from the US Army and lived most of his adult life in California after leaving Edgefield County. He married Celia M. Dunsing who was born in Montana about 1881. On the 1910 they are listed at the Benicia Barracks and Arsenal in Solano County, CA. Celia is listed as head of household there in 1920, Calvin must have been on assignment. Their children are reported on the 1910-1930 census as:

181121 M i [Calvin Louis Whittle](#)

181122 F ii Marie E. Whittle - born 1904.

William H. Whittle - born 26 Nov 1905 and died 23 Sep 1970.

Except for a record of his enlistment in WW II and his name listed on the obituary for his mother in 1959, very little information has been found.



181123 M iii

Courtesy of Kohana Jai (9/13/14) - A friend of mine was constructing a back yard patio in Oakland, CA and came across a headstone honoring a William H. Whittle.

Note added 2022 by Steven James Coker: William Hartwell Whittle is buried at Queen of Heaven Cemetery in Lafayette, California. See <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/190834578/>

1841. [Allison W. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, John W.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 24 Jul 1857 and died in Lexington County 23 Jul 1932.

Allison was a farmer in Ward Township and stayed in SC. He married Myra J. McGee. On the 1910 census Myra says she had 8 children, 7 still living. Only 5 can be verified using census data.

- + 18411 M i [Jesse Clifton Whittle](#)
- + 18412 M ii [John Wesley Whittle](#)
- 18413 F iii Marjorie Corrie Whittle - born Jun 1882. Listed on Ancestry.com but not on the 1900 census.
- 18414 M iv Floyd Whittle - born Dec 1885. No information after 1910 has been found.
- + 18415 M v [Moses Culbreath Whittle](#)
- 18416 F vi Ruby Whittle - born 1900 and is found on the 1910 census.

1842. [Floyd Wesley Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, John W.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 3 Mar 1859 and died 10 Feb 1938 in Aiken County, SC.

Floyd apparently decided early on to avoid farming. He moved to Aiken County and worked in the cotton mills. On the 1910 census his wife, Matilda Storey Whittle says she had 14 children, 6 still living. This would seem to be in error based on the family picture circa 1914. Matilda was born 12 Dec 1868 and died 20 Aug 1944. Our thanks to Mark Whittle, great grandson of Floyd Whittle, for sharing much of this information about his family.



Courtesy of Mark Whittle, CDR USN(Ret) - Photograph circa 1914

Back Row: Floyd Wesley Whittle, John McGee (Laura), Jacob "Jake" Whittle, William McMichael (Mandy), Preston Lewis "Press" Whittle
 Middle Row: Matilda Whittle, Laura Whittle McGee, Carrie Bell Whittle, Annie Whittle (Jake), Amanda "Mandy" Whittle McMichael, Essie Whittle (Press)
 Front Row: Floyd Tracy Whittle, Effie McGee (D of Laura), John Wesley Whittle, Lola Whittle (D of Jake), James Albert Whittle, Etta Whittle (D of Press)
 Not Shown: Charles Oscar Whittle (On Duty with US NAVY at this time.)

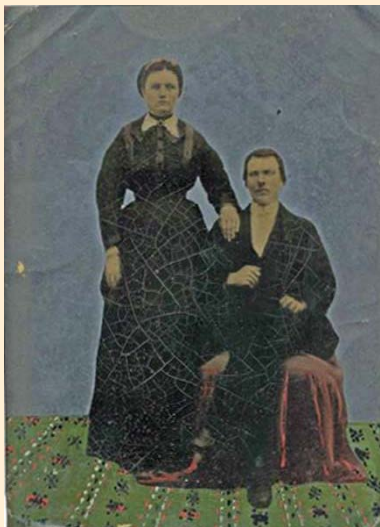
- + 18421 M i [Preston Lewis "Press" Whittle](#)

Laura Whittle - born Oct 1887. Based on information provided by Robert McGee, Laura's great grandson, she married John Reedy

- 18422 F ii Lamar McGee. She and her daughter are living with her parents on the 1910 census.
- + 18423 M iii [Jacob "Jake" Whittle](#)
- 18424 F iv Viola Whittle - born 1893. She married Monroe Derrick. They are living with her brother Preston in 1910.
- 18425 F v Amanda L. "Mandy" Whittle - born Feb 1895. Amanda is widowed with a 4 year old son and living with her parents on the 1920 census. She married 3 times: John William McMichael (1892-1940), Claude Cecil Dunlap (1900-1953) and Rasho Howland (1892-1961). She had 4 children by McMichael and others by Dunlap or Howland.
- 18426 M vi Charles Oscar Whittle - born Jun 1897 and died in 1966. Charles was a WW II US Navy veteran and was aboard the USS Arizona. He is not known to have married.
- 18427 F vii Carrie Belle Whittle - born Sep 1899. She married John Hall and they had 6 children.
- + 18428 M viii [John Wesley Whittle](#)
- + 18429 M ix [James Albert Whittle](#)
- + 184210 M x [Floyd Tracy Whittle, Sr.](#)

1851. [Levi Burdette Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, William Manchester\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 6 Sept 1853 and died there in 1924.

Brenda Laney provided us with this picture of Burdette and Mary Whittle as well as the information about his family.



Courtesy of Brenda Laney and Family

"Exact birth date was recorded in a handwritten notebook by his daughter-in-law, Ida Catherine Day Whittle, wife of William Furman Whittle. Levi is buried in the Batesburg Cemetery, Batesburg, South Carolina. There is no month and date of death, only the year 1924. Although he died after the South Carolina Death Index began, no entry for him has been found. The census has listed him as Levi, Burdette, LB and once as Birded, he was apparently most frequently called Burdette."

Burdette married Mary Haseltine Matthews, born September 22, 1856 and died December 19, 1914. She was the daughter of Richard Furman Matthews and Permelia Caroline Clarke. Burdette and Haseltine had 7 children:

- + 18511 M i [James Benjamin Whittle](#)
- 18512 F ii Laura Ella Whittle - born 2 Oct 1879 and died 24 Dec 1906.
- 18513 F iii Rosa Lee Whittle - born 22 May 1881 and died 1 Dec 1956. Rosa married James Milton Horne.
- 18514 F iv Mary Permelia Whittle - born 1 Apr 1884 and died 24 Jan 1903.
- + 18515 M v [William Furman Whittle](#)
- 18516 F vi Julia Geneva Whittle - born Oct 1890. Geneva married James Boatwright.
- 18517 F vii Annie Verdelia Whittle - born 8 Apr 1895 and died 22 Sep 1983.
- 18517 F vii Verdelia married Marcellus "Cellie" Calvin Padgett, born 1894, died 1971.

The 1920 census shows Levi Whittle married to Della unknown. So far no document has been found to show her maiden name.

1853. [Manchester C. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, William Manchester\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 30 Jun 1859 and died on 23 Nov 1890. He is buried in the Manchester Whittle Cemetery, Batesburg, SC.

Brenda Laney provided the following information about Manchester's family:

"Manchester married Sarah (Sallie) Unknown. She was born May 22, 1861 and died Dec 6, 1885 at the age of 24. They had one son, Perry Whittle born Nov 24, 1885 and died Jun 12, 1886, age 6 months. Sarah died about 12 days after Perry was born. Both Sarah and Perry are buried in Manchester Whittle Cemetery.

Manchester married 2nd Catherine (Kate) Unknown born May 1866 according to the 1900 census. Manchester and Kate had two sons. Tillman Whittle born Jun 4, 1888 and died Jun 14, 1889 at 1 year and ten days old. He is buried in the Manchester Whittle Cemetery.

Edgar Whittle born Aug 26, 1890 and died Feb 23, 1912 at the age of 21 according to the tombstone. On the 1900 census Edgar was born Apr 1892 and was 8 years old. Manchester Whittle died in Nov 1890 and the tombstone says Edgar is the son of Manchester and Kate Whittle. The census date has to be right. Edgar is buried at Spann Methodist Cemetery, Ward, South Carolina. According to the 1900 census Kate is remarried to Emanuel Thomas born Dec 1872. On the 1910 census Edgar is living with Emanuel and Kate and is listed as 19 which matches the tombstone.

No clue has been found to explain why Manchester Whittle, a wife and three sons died so young."

1861. [Luther G. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, Meady\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 26 Nov 1861 (1863 on tombstone) and died in Aiken, SC on 25 Jul 1927.

Luther is probably the only child of Meady Whittle and Ellen Floyd. He is found living with his widowed mother in 1870 and 1880. On the 1900 census he is listed as a widower with 2 sons, living in Aiken, SC. In every census he is working in the cotton mill industry.

The children of Luther and 1st wife unknown are:

18611 M i [Horace Manchester Whittle](#)

18612 M ii Joseph B. Whittle - born 25 May 1897 and died 10 Sep 1909.
Tombstone says s/o L.G. and M.C.

By 1910, Luther has a 2nd wife named May and a new family. All of these children are still living with their widowed mother in 1930.

18613 M iii George Whittle - born in 1902. No other record has been found after 1930.

18614 M iv John Whittle - born in 1904. No other record has been found after 1930.

18615 M v Edward Whittle - born in 1907. No other record has been found after 1930.

18616 F vi Myrtle Whittle - born in 1908.

18617 F vii Mary "Mammie" Whittle - born in 1910.

18618 M viii Luther G. Whittle - born in 1912. No other record has been found after 1930.

18619 F ix Ida Mae Whittle - born in 1920.

1882. [William M. "Willie" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, Seaborn\)](#) was born in Edgefield County Mar 1875 and died in Augusta, Richmond County, Georgia before 1920.

William is a policeman in Augusta on the 1910 census. He is married to Cornelia D. (unknown). His 69 year old mother Lucretia lives with them. By 1920, Cornelia is a widow and head of household. Lucretia still lives with her, age 78. In 1930 we find Cornelia living with her son Johnie E.

18821 F i Hattie M. Whittle - born in 1897.

18822 M ii Thomas Olin Whittle - born 1901 and died in 1967.

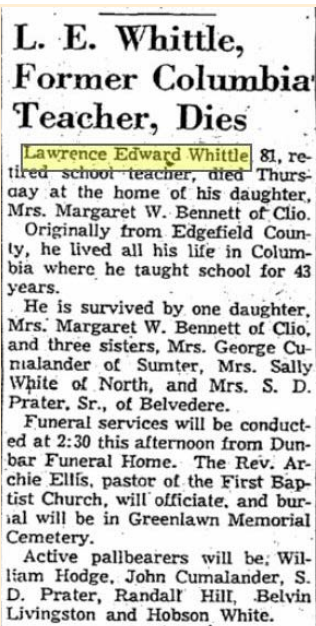
18823 M iii Herbert C. Whittle - born in 1902.

18824 M iv Johnie E. Whittle - born in 1904. Married Mary E. (unknown).
Cornelia lived with them in 1930.

2352. [Lawrence Edward Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Ira, James Wesley\)](#) was born 15 Dec 1874 in Edgefield and died 6 Oct 1955 in Columbia.

Lawrence was a professor at Ward High School in Columbia.

Lawrence had one daughter named Margaret who married Neville Bennett. He was chairman of the democratic party and a candidate for governor in 1938 and the US Senate in 1942.



Courtesy of Brenda Laney - September 2014

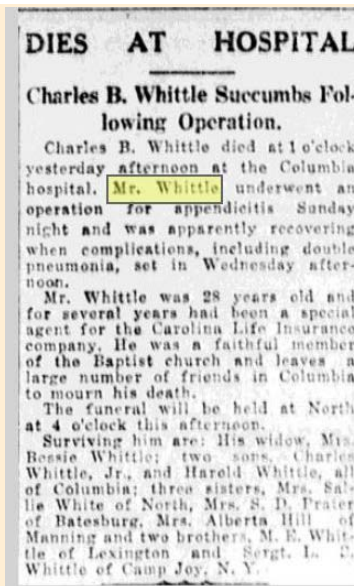
2354 [Lewis Simpson Whittle \(Burris, James Sr, Ira, James Wesley\)](#) was born in 1883 in Edgefield and probably died after 1942.

In the 1900 census Simpson Whittle, 19, was living with his parents. In 1910 Lewis S Whittle was at Augur Barracks, Jolo Jolo, Philippines, Military and Naval Forces. No census information for 1920 or 1930. 1940 Census Louis Whittle Passaic, New Jersey born SC age 60 single WPA Project Flood Control Laborer 1942 L S was mentioned in Mary Alberta Hill's obit. He was living in Newberry 6 Nov 1942 Lewis wasn't listed in Lawrence Edward's obit Oct of 1955. It almost sounds as if he moved around for the military and died sometime in WW II. No wife or children have been found.

2357. [Charles Brown Whittle \(Burris, James Sr, Ira, James Wesley\)](#) was born Oct 1894 in Saluda County. He died in Columbia 20 Apr 1922 of an acute appendicitis.

Charley is found on the 1910 census living in Columbia working as a carpenter with his wife, Bessie Miller, and their infant son. On the 1920 census Charley lists his occupation as life insurance agent. After Charlie died Bessie married Simon Claude Younginer. Charley and Bessie had 2 children.

- + 23571 M i [Charles Bert Whittle](#)
- + 23572 M ii [Harold Whittle](#)



Courtesy of Brenda Laney - September 2014

2374. [Buford Ferrell Whittle \(Burris, James Sr, Ira, Levi David\) was](#) born 4 Mar 1884, died 4 Nov 1940 in Arcadio, DeSoto, FL. He married Lucy Whittle, daughter of Mackalilly Pope Whittle.

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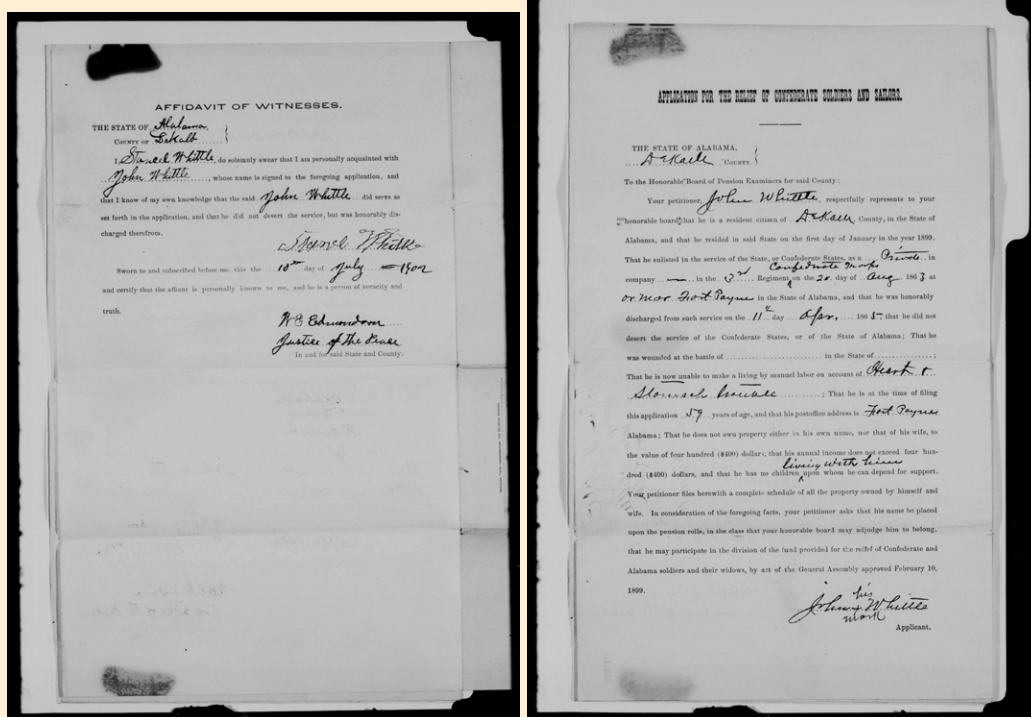
712. [William Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Stancil\)](#) was born in Edgefield County between 1840 and 1842 and probably died in DeKalb County, AL before 1900.

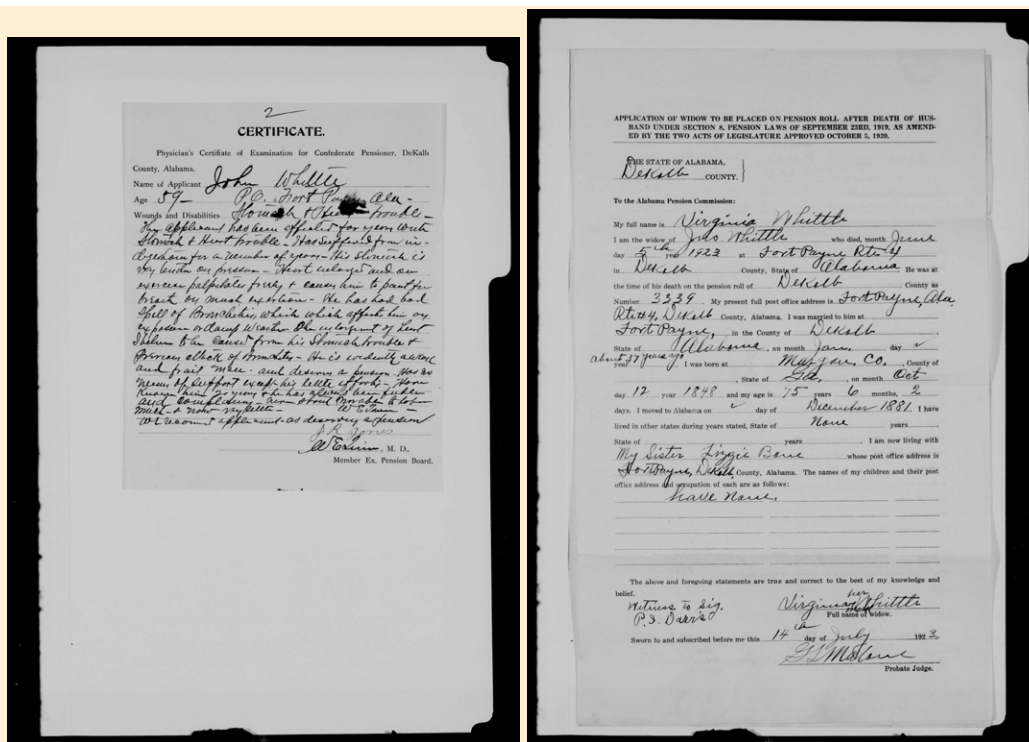
In 1850 William is living with Stancil and his second wife, Mary. William married Mary E. Henderson, born 1855 in Alabama and they are on the 1880 census in DeKalb County. Their children are:

- 1 M i Columbus C. Whittle
- 2 M ii Isaac A. (or M.) Whittle
- 3 F iii Mary A. (Leah) Whittle - born 1879.

714. [John Wesley Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Stancil\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 11 May 1846 and died on Lookout Mountain in Fort Payne, Alabama 5 Jun 1923. He is buried in Stewart Cemetery, Fort Payne, AL.

John Wesley enlisted Aug 1863 in the 1st Alabama/Tennessee Cavalry, 3rd Regiment, Company C. He was captured in Georgia a year later and was a POW in Camp Chase, Ohio. He was released on 15 May 1865 after taking the oath of Allegiance to the United States. Here is an affidavit which accompanied John's Confederate pension application, signed by his father.





Courtesy of Ambery R. Whittle (2/17/07) and
<https://www.familysearch.org/search/collection/3029256>

John married Nancy Ann Stephens, born 1857 in Missouri. She died in 1887. He married his second wife, Margaret Virginia "Puss" Odum on 26 Jan 1887. Puss was born in GA and died in 1925 in DeKalb County. John and Nancy had two children, John and Puss had no children. In this picture it is possible that John Wesley was trying to get into his Confederate dress uniform 40 or so years later.



- 7142 F ii Alice J. Whittle - born 14 Sep 1881 at Lookout Mountain, DeKalb County, AL and died 7 Nov 1978 in Birmingham, AL. She is buried in Valhalla Cemetery, Jefferson, AL. She married Charles Alexander Tindle 29 Dec 1901 in Fort Payne, AL.

715. [Andrew Jackson "Jack" Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Stancil\)](#) was born in Cherokee County, AL 22 Apr 1852 and died in DeKalb County 3 Aug 1926 (or 1927).

Jack was a Methodist minister and maker of special furniture and cabinets. The Huntsville, AL Land Office issued him a patent for 80 acres of land in DeKalb County on 6 Jun 1891.

He married Sarah E. Walker on 22 Dec 1872 at the residence of his father, Stancil Whittle. Sarah was born 1856 in Alabama and died 1924 in DeKalb County, AL. They had 6 children. Jack and Sarah are both buried in Stewart Cemetery, Fort Payne, AL.

- 1 M i William M. "Will" Whittle
Minnie S. Whittle - born 1876 in DeKalb County, AL and died after
- 2 F ii 1965. She married James "Jim" D. Jordan on 22 Apr 1894. Both are buried in Liberty Hill Cemetery, DeKalb County, AL.
- 3 M iii George W. Whittle
Brittie Whittle - born 1884 in DeKalb County, AL and died in 1960.
- 4 F iv She married Sam Graham on 4 Jul 1905 in Ft. Payne, AL. Both are buried at Mount Vernon Cemetery, DeKalb County, AL.
- 5 M v Francis Eugene "Gene" Whittle
Beulah Hannah Whittle - born 14 Aug 1890 (or 1892) in DeKalb County, AL and died 29 Jan 1910. She is buried at Jamestown Cemetery, Cherokee County, AL. She married George Samuel Paris on
- 6 F vi 23 Dec 1908 in DeKalb County.

716. [Ambrose B. Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Stancil\)](#) was born in Cherokee County, AL 18 Feb 1853 and died in Chattanooga, TN on 13 Jul 1926.

In Feb 2007, Amberys Whittle provided the following photos and information about his grandfather.



"There is a story that Ambrose went west to Texas in a covered wagon with his first wife and 3 daughters. They were ambushed by Apache Indians and Mary Jane was killed. Ambrose, who must have fought off the Indians to have escaped with no additional deaths, went back to Alabama. This

story was confirmed by one of Mollie Whittle Miller's grandsons, who said he asked Mollie about her family when he was young and heard the story from her. Mollie added that her mother was killed by an arrow.

Historians report that bands of free Apaches continued to give the U.S. Army trouble up to 1896, a full decade after the surrender of Geronimo. The version of this story that has spread on the Internet has Mollie and Maggie as twins, but they were not, as their tombstones at Stewart Cemetery and a photo of them in middle age show.

Later in his second marriage, Ambrose served as a "contractor" providing a labor force for the coal mine at Crudup, about 6 miles north of Gadsden, AL. In 1911 he was injured in the mine when a piece of slate fell and broke his hip. Not long after this event, he moved his family to Fort Payne, where they lived on the main street, then called Gualt Ave., about 6 blocks from the center of town. Ambrose built a church (also used as a school for several years) in Fort Payne. Eventually, a hosiery mill was built behind the front of the church.

Sometime after 1920 the family moved to Chattanooga, TN, near Main Street, where Ambrose did carpenter work and the daughters worked in a hosiery mill. Ambrose died of a stroke in Chattanooga in 1926 and was taken back to Fort Payne for burial in Stewart Cemetery on Lookout Mountain. The family moved to East Chattanooga where some of the children worked for United Hosiery Mill."

Ambrose first married Mary Jane (unknown), born 1860-61 in Alabama. Their children are:

- 1 F i Tinnie "Tiney" Lucinda Whittle was born 24 Jul 1880. Tinnie married Loranze Freeman Dean (brother of Ross Howard Dean) on 16 Sep 1897 in DeKalb County, AL. Tinnie's middle name, the same as Ambrose's mother's, was attested to by a granddaughter of Tinnie L. Whittle and is consistent with the 1910 Federal census, which has "Tiny L. Dean". There is also a marker at Lankford for a child who lived only a week as "Dean, infant of L.F. and T.E. Dean," giving rise to "Edna" as one of her names, although there was another Edna at about the same time. Tinnie died 18 Nov 1910 and is buried in Lankford Family Cemetery, DeKalb County, AL. Loranze was born in Tennessee 5 May 1873 and died 20 May 1937. He is buried at Wesley's Chapel Community Cemetery, DeKalb County, AL.
- 2 F ii Mollie Whittle was born 7 Jan 1884. She married Green Berry Miller on 21 Nov 1898 in DeKalb County, AL. Green was born 3 Feb 1877 in GA and died 6 Mar 1933. Mollie died 11 Dec 1968. Both are buried in Stewart Cemetery, DeKalb County, AL.
- 3 F iii Margaret "Maggie" Idella Whittle was born 14 Jun 1886. She married Ross Howell Dean (brother of Loranze F. Dean) on 20 Aug 1906. Ross was born 25 Jan 1881 in GA and died 14 Jan 1965. Maggie died 16 Aug 1956. Both are buried in Stewart Cemetery, DeKalb County, AL.

Elizabeth Akins Whittle



Photo used by permission of Amberys R. Whittle

Ambrose married his second wife, Elizabeth "Lizzie" Akins, on 20 Dec 1894. Lizzie was born 8 Jun 1877 in Woodstock, GA. Lizzie told one of her grandsons that she was "one-quarter" Cherokee Indian. Two other names, "Chaney" and "Criola," have been wrongly attributed to her. She died 10 Jan 1954 in Hamilton County, TN and is buried in Tyner Baptist Church Cemetery. The children of Ambrose and Lizzie are:

- 4 F iv Ollie Mae Whittle was born Mar 1896 in DeKalb County, AL. Ollie married Mack Hudson McPherson on 15 Dec 1915. According to one of Ollie's brothers, she died in childbirth. Because her child died also, the family trees with a couple of children for her should have them for Mack's second wife instead, as their dates of birth on the census records also indicate. Ollie died 6 Jan 1917 and is buried in Stewart Cemetery, DeKalb County, AL. Mack was born 26 Sep 1891 and died Sep 1969 in Fort Payne, DeKalb County, AL.

- 5 F v Gartha Whittle was born 7 Feb 1898 in AL. She married Thomas E. Dobbs. Thomas was born 22 Apr 1887 and died in 1929. He is buried in Stewart Cemetery, DeKalb County, AL. Gartha died 29 Jul 1988 in Ft. Oglethorpe, GA. She is buried in Tyner Cemetery, Hamilton County, TN.

- 6 M vi Martin Presley Whittle

- 7 F vii Mary Whittle was born 18 Jun 1904 in DeKalb County, AL. She married Will Evett, who was born in Alabama in 1900 and died about 1954. Mary's second husband was Earl Branham, born 1899, probably in Georgia. Mary died 2 Mar 1978 in Ft. Oglethorpe, Catoosa County, GA.

- 8 F viii Inez Whittle was born 18 Jun 1907 in DeKalb County, AL. She married James Clyde Thompson. Inez died in childbirth 26 May 1940. After Inez died, Clyde married Mildred (unknown) and they had no children. Both Inez and Clyde are buried in Tyner Cemetery, Hamilton County, TN.

- 9 M ix Ambrose B. Whittle II

- 10 M x Ernest Whittle was born in 1919 and died in 1920.

717. [George W. Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Stancil\)](#) was born in Cherokee County, AL between 1853-1855.

George is only on the 1860 and 1870 census living with his parents; after that he disappears from the records.

7111. [David Wilson Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Stancil\)](#) was born 6 Apr 1865 in DeKalb County, AL and died 2 Nov 1945.

Our thanks to Amberys Whittle for providing this account from Dave's family.

"According to his relatives, Dave's leg stopped growing when he was about 12 years of age. He carved a piece of wood to fit the bottom of his shoe and extend upward with a handle that he held like a cane. It is reported that the family of his wife, Letha Brown, disowned her when she married Dave, because they considered him deformed; but he farmed, raised a family, and prospered. After Letha died, Dave never remarried, and he had her body moved from Stewart Cemetery to lie beside him at Liberty Hill Baptist Church Cemetery."

David W. Whittle (L) and John Wesley Whittle (R)



Photo used by permission of LuDeanne Guenther

Dave and Letha (born 30 Oct 1868, died 15 Sep 1898) had the following children:

- 1 F i Mary Idella "Della" Whittle was born 27 Feb 1889 and died 27 Feb 1960. She married Levi Bernard Fowler, born 6 Aug 1868 in GA; died 16 Apr 1935. Both are buried in Liberty Hill Baptist Church Cemetery, DeKalb County, AL.
- 2 F ii Ida Rose Ella Whittle was born 18 Feb 1891 in Lookout Mountain, DeKalb County, AL and died 27 Nov 1981 in Adamsburg, DeKalb County, AL. She married Edward Henderson on 2 Jan 1910.
- 3 F iii Lura Jane Whittle was born 16 Jul 1893 in DeKalb County, AL and died 24 Jul 1948 in Chattooga County, GA. In 1909 she married Alfred Wesley Keith (David Whittle's obituary has Mrs. Lewis Keith, however).
- 4 M iv Eddie Vester Whittle

7112. [Joseph Hazel "Hazy" Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Stancil\)](#) was born in 1866 in Cherokee Country, AL and died in Chattanooga, TN 23 Jun 1947.

One of his nephews had this to say about Joseph:

"He was in the grocery and meat business in Gadsden, AL for 25-30 years, then came back to Fort Payne and opened a similar business until his wife died. He then went to Chattanooga and lived with his daughter Freida. He was carried back to Fort Payne and is buried along with his wife Hattie at Glenwood Cemetery, DeKalb County, AL."

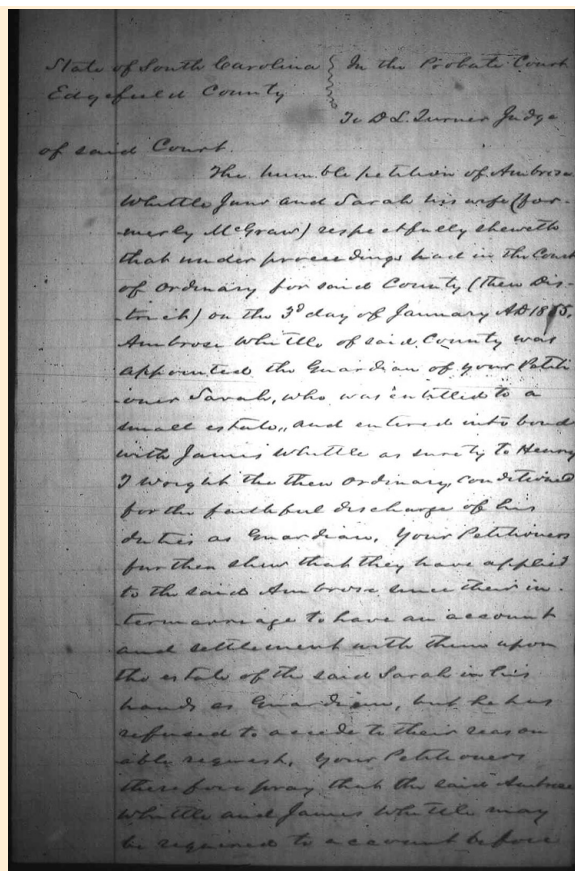
The children of Joseph and Hattie R. Armstrong (born 1875; died Nov 1949) are:

- 1 M i Robert Whittle
- 2 F ii Selmer J. Whittle - born 1892 in Alabama.
- 3 M iii Hubert Whittle
- 4 F iv Maude Leigh Whittle - born 1898 in DeKalb County, AL. She married Cecil R. Evans, born 1897 in AL.
- 5 M v Ralph Whittle
- 6 M vi Joseph C. Whittle
- 7 F vii Cleve Whittle - born 1909. She reportedly died during childbirth in 1941.
- 8 F viii Freida Whittle - born 1911. She married Johnny Foy, who was born 22 Sep 1900 and died Oct 1966 in Montgomery, AL.
- 9 F ix Cloe Whittle - born 1915 in Etowah County, AL.

732. [Ambrose C. Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark B.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 6 Aug 1846 and died in Columbia 11 Feb 1906.

At age 14, Ambrose was one of the youngest of the Edgefield County Whittle boys to serve in the 14th SC Infantry. He survived the war and married Sarah Jane McGraw, daughter of Joel and Elizabeth McGraw. On the 1870 census they are living in Batesville next door to both of their widowed mothers, Elizabeth McGraw and Nancy Whittle. <https://www.fold3.com/image/75554724>

This court petition, having to do with Ambrose's grandfather's guardianship over the estate of Sarah's father Joel McGraw, verifies that Sarah is a McGraw.



Courtesy Church of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints, Salt Lake City, Utah

On the 1880 census Ambrose and Sarah not only have their 6 children, but also Ambrose's grandfather, mother and sister. Although not proven to be Ambrose, there is an A C Whittle, born 1846, listed as a patient in the State Hospital For The Insane on the 1900 census. From the Richland County cemetery list A C Whittle died of TB on 11 Feb 1906.

According to the letter written by [Mark Gary Whittle](#) in 1945, "After the death of Ambrose Whittle, the grandson of the first Ambrose, his widow Sarah went with her son to New Mexico. Her son was Chester Whittle and they are now living in New Mexico." Neither of them have been found on census records. According to research done by Claude Medlin, Sarah died 30 Aug 1914 in Henretta County, TX.

- 7321 M i Joel Milledge Whittle - born 1 Jan 1866, died 1 Aug 1938 in Aiken, SC.
- + 7322 M ii [Mark Berry Whittle](#)
- 7323 M iii Chesley M. Whittle - born 2 Feb 1871, died 27 Jun 1949 in Sulfur Springs, Hopkins County, TX.
- 7324 M iv John Elbert Whittle - born 1874.
- 7325 M v Henry Edgar Whittle - born 1876.
- 7326 F vi Bettie Whittle - born Dec 1879, died in Sulfur Springs, Hopkins County, TX.
- 7327 M vii Alonzo A. "Lon" Whittle - born Apr 1882, died 15 Jan 1948 in Pickens County, SC.
- 7328 M viii Charles J. Whittle - born 8 Jun 1884, died 29 Apr 1944 in Junction City, OR.

7329 M ix Bazzel Whittle - born 24 Jun 1886, died 14 Sep 1973 in Lovington, NM.

[Joe M. Whittle](#), in his letter from the W.O. Whittle papers, confirms all 3 children born after the 1880 census.

733. [Joseph M. Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark B.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County July 1850 and died before 1910 in Spring, Jefferson County, Arkansas.

From the letters written to W.O. Whittle by both Joe M. Whittle and Mark Gary Whittle, we know Joseph left SC sometime before 1880 and settled near Pine Bluff, AK. He married Mary E. (unknown), born Aug 1858 in Mississippi. They first appear as farmers on the 1880 census with their 5 month old daughter, Nancy. The census taker records Nancy's birth place as Mississippi. From this we can assume Joseph stopped in Mississippi before Arkansas. By 1900 they have 5 children living at home. Mary says she has had 10 children, 5 are still living.

Mary is a widow on both the 1910 and 1920 census. Their last child was born in 1903.

- 1 F i Nancy M. Whittle was born Aug 1880 and was still living at home in 1900.
- + 2 M ii [William H. Whittle](#) was born Aug 1886.
- 3 M iii Robert J. Whittle was born Apr 1888.
- 4 M iv Thomas M. Whittle was born Oct 1889.
- 5 F v Mary Ida Whittle was born Sep 1892.
- 6 M vi Jesse H. Whittle was born in 1903.

734. [Benjamin "Ben" Perkins Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark B.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County Oct 1852 and died in Augusta, GA in 1918.

Ben is farming in Germanville Township on the 1880 census. He married Laura Ann Shealy. His sister Mary Ann died prior to 1880 and Ben and Laura raised 3 Prater children as well as their own. Some time prior to 1900 Ben gave up farming, moved his family to Augusta and became a motorman working for the city transit authority.

On the 1900 census Laura says she had 6 children, 5 still living. There are, however, 6 children still living at home as well as a daughter-in-law (Ida) and a grand daughter (Nancy). Ida may be a first wife of Arthur or the wife of a deceased son.

- + 7341 M i [Arthur Malachi "Mike" Whittle](#)
- 7342 M ii [Mark Gary Whittle](#)
- + 7343 M iii [Benjamin Clint Whittle](#)
- 7344 F iv Annie Laura Whittle was born Jul 1884.
- + 7345 M v [James Hezekiah "Hez" Whittle](#)
- + 7346 M vi [Walter Killian "Kid" Whittle](#)

735. [Mackalilly Pope Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark B.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 15 Aug 1854 and died there 13 Feb 1934.

Mack married [Mary Anna Whittle](#), daughter of Wesley Whittle from the James Whittle line. His

death certificate shows his occupation as a stone cutter. Fortunately their son [Joseph Marion Whittle](#), responded to one of WO Whittle's letters and verified both of his parents were Whittles as well as all 10 of their 11 children.

- 7351 M i James Wesley Whittle was born about 1878 and died in 1887, age 9.
Joseph Marion Whittle was born Aug 1879 and died 27 Oct 1950.
He married Corrie Civilia Whittle, the daughter of Levi David
- 7352 M ii Whittle and Idonia Lucretia Bodie. Corrie was born 28 Aug 1881
and died 27 June 1970. Both of them are in Travis Memorial Park
cemetery.
Nancy Isabelle "Belle" Whittle was born 27 Dec 1882 and died 30
- 7353 F iii Apr 1958. She married Albert Mack Smith who was born 5 Apr
1880 and died 6 Feb 1953. Mack was the son of Mack Smith and
Sarah Padgett.
Carrie Lucy Whittle was born 15 Jun 1886. She also married a
- 7354 F iv Whittle from the James M Whittle line, Beauford Ferrell Whittle,
son of Levi David and Idonia Lucretia Bodie, born 4 Mar 1884 and
died 4 Sep 1940. Lucy died 26 Jul 1929. Both are buried in Oak
Ridge, Florida.
George Tillman Whittle was born 4 Oct 1898 and died Mar 1994.
- 7355 M v He married Harriet Inez Swygert from Waco, TX. Both are buried at
First Calvary Baptist Church cemetery. He married Julia Padgett
after Inez died.
Arthur Wesley Whittle was born 18 Sep 1890. He married Myrtle
- 7356 M vi Smith the daughter of G. Hampton Smith and Mary Warren. Myrtle
was born Dec 1892 and died May 1982. No children have been
found.
Mary Maggie Whittle was born 3 Oct 1892 and died 26 Sep 1986.
- 7357 F vii Maggie married Frank Peter Padgett. he was born 6 May 1887 and
died 21 Sep 1942 Frank was the son of Silas P. Padgett and
Savannah Padgett. Both are buried at West Creek Baptist Church.
Coke Woodford "Wood" Whittle was born 1894 and died in 1980.
- 7358 M viii Wood married Annie Belle Warren born 1895 and died 1967. Annie
was the daughter of Charlie Warren and Suzannah Smith. Both are
buried at Batesburg Cemetery.
Callie Whittle was born in 23 Aug 1899 and died in 1 Oct 1899. She
- 7359 F ix may be the twin sister of Elmore Rice Whittle.
Elmore "Elmo" Rice Whittle was born 28 Aug 1899 and died 6 Sep
- 73510 M x 1976. Elmo married Callie Corley born 26 Jul 1901 and died 28 Nov
1960. Callie was the daughter of John Martin Corley and Kitty
Katura. Both are buried at Nazareth Methodist Church.
Walter Night Whittle was born 17 Nov 1902 and died in 5 May
- 73511 M xi 1903. He is buried at Old Providence Cemetery along with his
parents.

742. [Jacob "Jake" M. Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, John B.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 12 Mar 1844 and died in Lamar County, Texas, 15 July 1910.

Jake served the Confederacy in the 14th SC Infantry Company B. His records at the National Archives all show him "present for duty" throughout the war. He was captured at Petersburg briefly and took the oath of allegiance at Point Lookout, MD in 1865. Jake returned to Edgefield County and married Katherine R. Whittle (Burris, James Sr., Willis, Oratio). Katherine was born 9 Jan 1847 and died 30 July 1910.

Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/75554976>

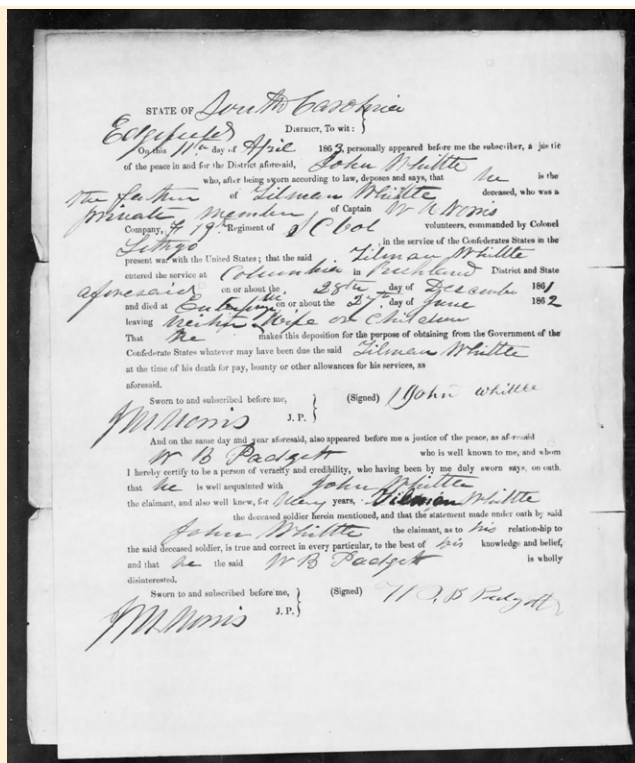
Jake and Katherine moved to Red River County Texas about 1870 with their first son, James. Most likely they traveled with Jake's younger brother Daniel and his wife Flora. Three children are listed on the 1880 census. On the 1900 census a grandson Claudie, born Oct 1887, lives with them. Katherine says she had 7 children, only 3 still living.

- 1 M i James Whittle - born 1869 in South Carolina.
- 2 F ii Georgette Whittle - born 1873 in Texas.
- 3 F iii Mamey Whittle - born 1876 in Texas.

We have death certificates for both Jacob and Katherine. Unfortunately neither of them list parent's names. Jacob is buried in Evergreen Cemetery, Lamar County, Texas.

743. [Tillman Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, John B.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County in 1846 and died in Mississippi, 27 Jun 1862.

Tillman served the Confederacy in the 19th SC Infantry, Company F. He died during the Corinth Campaign (April - June 1862) in Mississippi and is buried in the Quitman Confederate Cemetery.



Courtesy of the National Archives and <https://www.fold3.com/image/83534780>

19th Regiment, South Carolina Infantry

19th Infantry Regiment was organized during the winter of 1861-1862. It moved to Mississippi, then to Kentucky where it saw action at Munfordsville.

The unit was brigaded under Generals Manigault and Sharp and from September, 1863, to April 1864, was consolidated with the 10th Regiment. It served with the Army of Tennessee from Murfreesboro to Atlanta, fought with Hood in Tennessee, and was active in the North Carolina operations.

The regiment lost 8 killed and 72 wounded at Murfreesboro, and the 10th/19th sustained 236 casualties at Chickamauga and totalled 436 men and 293 arms in December, 1863. During the Atlanta Campaign, July 22-28, the 19th reported 12 killed, 60 wounded, and 25 missing, and there were 9 killed, 34 wounded, and 8 missing at Ezra Church.

It surrendered on April 26, 1865, with 76 men. The field officers were Colonels Augustus J. Lythgoe, W.C. Moragne, James F. Pressley, and T.S. Shaw; Lieutenant Colonel Abraham Jones; and Majors John A. Crowder, Tillman Watson, and James L. White.

744. [Daniel Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, John B.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 12 Dec 1847 and died in Manchester, Red River County TX on 28 Jan 1889.

Daniel and his wife Flora D. are found on the 1880 census farming in Red River County, Texas. Flora was born 5 Apr 1852 and died 14 Jul 1889.

- 7451 F i Della Whittle was born Jun 1875 and died in 1943. She married James Albert Ringwald and they had 8 children.
- 7452 M ii Zebulum Whittle - born in 1876.
- 7453 M iii Thomas Whittle - born 31 Oct 1878 and died 1 Apr 1900. He is buried with his parents in Cowan Cemetery.

748. [John Franklin Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, John B.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 7 Jan 1858 and died 30 Sep 1914 in Bowie TX.

JF married Ella M. Rodgers, a half sister to Martha Ann Rodgers, on 7 Jan 1891 in Bowie, TX. Ella was born 20 Feb 1871 and died 7 Apr 1956. They are found in Arkansas for the 1900 census.

749. [Andrew Jackson "Jack" Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, John B.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 16 Jun 1859 and died in Red River County, Texas, 13 Mar 1946.

Thanks to our chief Texas Whittle researcher, Glen Collier, we have this biography of Andrew Jackson Whittle and confirmation of his SC roots.

*** Andrew Jackson and Sallie (Johnston) Whittle Sr.**

Andrew Jackson Whittle, Sr. was born in Ridge, SC, June 16, 1859, son of John and Balinda Whittle, Edgefield County, Ridge, SC. This family left SC around 1863 or 1864. They were in Old Union, Tex., located south of Dekalb, Tex. in 1880.



L. to R. Front: Hattie Nailing, Mattie Babo and daughter, Sallie Whittle, Andrew Jackson Whittle, Robert Whittle. Back: Sam Whittle, Geo. W. Whittle, Frank Whittle, Andrew Jackson Whittle Jr.

The first record of Andrew Jackson Whittle living in Red River Co. is when he married Sallie Johnston in Sept. 2, 1883.

Sallie Johnston was born Nov. 26, 1861, in Red River Co., Tex., daughter of Oliver P. Johnston and Harriet Gamble Johnston. Sallie lived her entire life in Red River Co. Sallie and Andrew Jackson lived northwest of Manchester, Tex., on Big Pine Creek. A log house was built on land Sallie inherited from her father's estate.

Andrew Jackson and Sallie were known as Aunt Sallie and Uncle Jack to all their friends and neighbors.

Seven children were born to this couple. They were Robert Lee, Hattie, Andrew Jackson Jr., George Washington, Frank James, Sam Howard, and Mattie. They raised a granddaughter, Fay Whittle, child of Robert Lee.

The crude log house was used for many years, even though there were no conveniences except the large fireplace, which served for heating and cooking.

The living came from the land and the forest, and some cows, hogs, and chickens. The forest surrounded the land, which provided wild game for meat for the family. The wild game provided not only food, but Andrew Jackson had the pleasure of hunting the game as this was his favorite pastime. During the spring and summer farming was the big chore around this place. The fall and winter months were set aside for hunting. Wild game was plentiful, such as deer, turkey, ducks, and wild geese.

Corn was put out on the ponds and creek to lure the ducks in. A duck blind was made nearby. When the ducks came in to feed, the hunter was ready for them. Andrew Jackson was known as the best duck hunter in the county; not only did the family have more ducks than the family could use but a feather bed was made every winter from the ducks that Andrew Jackson killed. There was always a surplus of ducks every winter, so the ducks were dressed and salted down in the smokehouse to preserve until there was a barrel full; then Andrew Jackson hauled them to Paris, Texas and sold them for twenty-five cents apiece.

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Sallie Whittle died July 12, 1931. Andrew Jackson died Mar. 13, 1946. They are both buried in the Manchester cemetery, Manchester, Tex.

The home of Aunt Sallie and Uncle Jack is still standing today just a hundred yards or so from the original home. It has deteriorated through the years, and is of no use any more, but contains memories of happy voices that once surrounded the home of Aunt Sallie and Uncle Jack Whittle. Today the estate is owned by grandchildren of Sallie and Jack Whittle. by Mrs. Lucille Coats

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Courtesy Red River County Historical Society, Clarksville, TX 1986

- 1 M i Robert Lee Whittle
- 2 F ii Hattie Whittle
- 3 M iii Andrew Jackson Whittle, Jr.
- 4 M iv George Washington Whittle
- 5 M v Frank James Whittle
- 6 M vi Sam Howard Whittle
- 7 F vii Mattie E. Whittle

752. [Burton Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Chesley\)](#) was born in Edgefield County, SC in 1854.

In 1880, Burton and his wife Nancy (unknown) are living next door to his father and mother in Floyd County, GA. After 1880 we have found no records.

- 1 M i Lawrence Whittle - Born in 1876.
- 2 F ii Perle Whittle - born in 1879.

756. [Emanuel Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Chesley\)](#) was born in Floyd County, GA in 1862 and died 30 Jul 1955 in Cave Springs, Floyd County, GA.

"Manuel" Whittle is on the 1910 census in Floyd County, GA with his wife Dolly (Unknown) and their 5 children.

- 1 M i Causey Whittle - Born in 1890.
- 2 F ii Nora V. Whittle - born in 1892.
- 3 F iii Georgia Whittle - born in 1896.
- 4 F iv Mattie Whittle - born in 1900.
- 5 F v Susie Whittle - born in 1902.

757. [Chesley Whittle, Jr. \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Chesley\)](#) was born in Floyd County, GA on 11 Feb 1864 and died in DeKalb County, AL in 1957.

Chesley and his wife, Laura Harrison Carr, are living in Rome, Floyd County, GA in 1900. By 1910 Chesley is farming in Moore, DeKalb County, AL. It is likely that Chesley's Uncle Stancil had something to do with why he moved there. The descendants of Stancil Whittle are certainly glad he did, because [Chesley's family group sheet](#) sent to W.O. Whittle is still the only proof that Stancil was the son of Ambrose Whittle.

In 2007, Amberys Whittle visted the DeKalb County Court House and found the following information about Chesley. "In a book at the library, I found that before welfare payments, the homeless and needy of the county were cared for in "county farms." In Adamsburg there was such a farm with a "caretaker's home" and units for the inmates. Chesley Jr. was one of a series of caretakers at that location. At another time Chesley was one of the riders who, three times a week, carried the mail from Fort Payne to nearby Adamsburg on horseback. This information appears in Landmarks: A Pictorial History of DeKalb County, Alabama, published in 1971; this book is also the source of often repeated information about the Rev. Andrew Jackson Whittle, one of Stancil's sons."

- 1 M i Walter Judson Whittle - Born in 1891.
- 2 M ii Melvin M. Whittle - born Aug 1894.
- 3 F iii Emily J. Whittle - born in 1895.
- 4 M iv Raymond Whittle - born in 1897.
- 5 M v Dewey Whittle - born in 1898.
- 6 M vi Robert Chesley Whittle - born in 18 Aug 1904 and died Sep 1986.

783. [Jefferson Davis Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Emanuel\)](#) was born in Edgefield County about 1861 and died in Blackville, Barnwell County, SC 1 Mar 1913.

Jeff owned considerable land in Blackville, SC and had a mule dealership. Several family members worked for Jeff. He was married twice. His first wife was Lizzie E. (unknown) and they had 3

children. Lizzie may have died in childbirth with Lena. His 2nd wife was Alice (unknown). In 1910 he is in Blackville living with Alice and his daughter Lena born in 1902. Alice is listed as head of household in 1920.

Notes added in 2022 by Steven James Coker: Jefferson Davis Whittle was married 3 times. He married Laura A Busby (Busbee) on 3 Oct 1882. He married Elizabeth Lizzie Caldwell on 30 Apr 1897. Lizzie died in Averton, Pike County, Georgia in June 1909. He married Alice Dean Wilson after Lizzie died in 1909.

J. D. Whittle Dies.

Blackville, March 1.—J. D. Whittle, one of this town's leading business men, died here at 8 o'clock tonight following the taking of two doses of laudanum, one at 3 o'clock this morning and another at 9 o'clock. Physicians worked throughout the day in an effort to save his life but the labor was fruitless, death coming early this evening.

Mr. Whittle was a man of wide interests. He was an extensive stockman, having sold as many as 35 cars of stock in a single season.

He was 57 years of age and is survived by his wife and one child, 11 years of age. He was the largest planter in this section and is said to have carried life insurance amounting to \$100,000.

He is said to have suffered financial reverses and in the last few months has suffered from ill health.

[06 Mar 1913 The Bamberg Herald https://www.newspapers.com/clip/56378604/](https://www.newspapers.com/clip/56378604/)

The Bamberg Herald, 23 Jul 1908, Thursday

J. D. WHITTLE SHOT.

Prominent Business Man of Blackville Shot Last Saturday Evening.

The town of Blackville was privately shocked about 7 o'clock last Saturday evening when it was reported that Mr. J. D. Whittle, one of the leading business men of the town and county, had been shot. As near as we can get the details they are as follows:

About 5 o'clock in the afternoon Mr. Julius Swett, son of Mr. P. B. Swett, clerk in the Blackville dispensary, went to Whittle's stables to see about the pay of his younger brother, who had been packing cantaloupes for Whittle. Swett claimed that his brother had twenty-five cents due him that had not been paid. Mr. Whittle told him to go to the time keeper, and get the correct time of his brother's work and then go to the bookkeeper, and if there was any difference it would be paid. Swett left the office in a bad humor and said that he would see Whittle when he left his office. About two hours later Swett came back to Whittle's stables, Mr. Whittle was in a buggy in the street. Swett walked up towards the buggy and opened fire on him, the first shot taking effect in the left leg. At the report of the pistol, the horse, which was a very fiery one, started to run and ran through a vacant lot between Whittle's stable

and a vacant lot between Whittle's stable and Hair's hardware store. The horse ran until it got nearly to Farrell's store on Railroad avenue. Mr. Whittle was then thrown out and dragged a few feet. His right hip was broken about two inches below the joint and he was badly bruised about the body. After the horse started to run Swett fired three other shots, two of them went wild and one of them hit a negro who was in the buggy with Whittle, but who was thrown out before the horse went very far. The negro was hit on the leg, he sustained only a very slight flesh wound.

As soon as Mr. Whittle was thrown to the ground several of his friends rushed to him and gave aid. Drs. Gilles, Briggs, and Nevils were hastily summoned and gave him what medical aid was needed.

Swett was arrested by the town marshal and later turned over to the magistrate's deputy. Later Swett was given a hearing before Magistrate Woodward and was released on a bond of \$500.00.

While Mr. Whittle is not dangerously wounded, he will suffer many ill effects from his injuries. His hip being broken, his other leg having been broken by the bullet, he is badly maimed and there is a danger of a stiff leg from the broken thigh. His many friends throughout the county will learn with sorrow of his misfortune and will all hope for his speedy recovery.—Barwell Sentinel.

[23 Jul 1908 The Bamberg Herald https://www.newspapers.com/clip/109333692/](https://www.newspapers.com/clip/109333692/)

Speeds to Wife's Bedside.

Augusta, Ga., June 5.—Dashing at wild speed through small towns and country fields, through shady forest and murky swamps, racing against death, Mr. J. D. Whittle, of Blackville, S. C., left Augusta yesterday at midday on a special train over the Georgia railroad to the bedside of his wife, who lies in a dying condition in Averton, Ga.

Mr. Whittle arrived in the city from Blackville about 1 o'clock yesterday on a freight train. Telegraphic arrangements were made for the special prior to Mr. Whittle's arrival in the city.

The special left shortly after 1 o'clock and arrived in Atlanta without mishap about 4:55 o'clock. In Atlanta Mr. Whittle made connections with the Southern railroad which makes connections for Averton. The town is near Williamston, which is in Pike county.

[10 Jun 1909 The Bamberg Herald https://www.newspapers.com/clip/109334895/](https://www.newspapers.com/clip/109334895/)

Used Special Train.
Mr. J. D. Whittle was called by telegram to North Georgia to the bedside of his dying wife on last Saturday morning. It was after the regular train had left for Augusta and he ordered a special, which carried him to Atlanta, where he made connections. But, rush as he did, Mrs. Whittle passed away at 10 o'clock. He reached Blackville Tuesday.—Blackville Courier.

14 Jun 1909 *The Columbia Record* <https://www.newspapers.com/clip/109339235/>

<p>READS LIKE A ROMANCE. Whittle-Tompkins Suit Reveals Story of Intense Interest.</p> <p>Columbia, September 25.—The suit brought by Mrs. Alice D. Whittle against Mr. Frank G. Tompkins, of this city, reveals a story as full of human interest as any ever coined by writers of fiction. Domestic unhappiness, separation, a suit to recover as much as \$50,000 of a fortune of more than \$200,000, counter suits between members of the same family and their near relations, the dealing of property with a view to hiding its value; those and many other incidents are links in the chain of circumstances leading up to the novel procedure that was yesterday adopted to recover those valued diamonds.</p> <p>Mrs. Alice D. Whittle, who was up to a short while ago a resident of Blackville, but who left for Virginia, her old home, a few weeks ago, and who is now probably in Saluda, N. C., sought to secure from her husband what she considered her proper share of his fortune, variously estimated at from \$200,000 to \$350,000, when the two agreed to separate. Failing in this without recourse to the law, she employed an attorney to recover the amount for her, promising, it is alleged, a certain per centage on the amount collected from her husband and a certain amount in cash as a fee, the usual stipulations in contingent cases of this kind being made, it is said. The contract was duly signed up by Mrs. Whittle. The diamonds, it seems, being security for the payment of the specified sum of money, not the percentage.</p>	<p>THE BAMBERG HERALD, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1910.</p> <p>Compromise was effected between Mrs. Whittle and her husband. It was then, so the report goes, that she did not wish to pay the amount she promised. It is understood that suit will be brought to recover this in a few days. In the meantime the suit for the diamonds was filed. It is not believed here that Mrs. Whittle has any case at all. The contract, it appears was made in accordance with the law, and she was known to have been in her right mind when the papers were drawn up.</p> <p>Mr. Tompkins was asked for a statement to-night as to the case, but he said he had nothing to say for publication to-night, although he may give out a statement to-morrow.</p> <p>Mrs. Whittle had property before she was married and all was deeded to her husband. She sought to recover what he owed her after paying debts on the land and also an amount to support her after their separation. It is understood that a portion of the money paid over by Mr. Whittle to his wife was turned over to a brother-in-law of Mrs. Whittle, who, in turn, deeded the property to his wife or invested the amount in his wife's name. There is a suit now to recover this amount, it is stated. When the case is brought to trial there will be interesting developments.</p>
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29 Sep 1910 *The Bamberg Herald* <https://www.newspapers.com/clip/109339665/>

The children of his marriage to Lizzie E. (unknown) are:

- 1 F i Mary Ruth Whittle - born Sep 1888 and died in 1898.
- 2 M ii Orren Lester Whittle - born 25 Jun 1899 and died Jun 1903.
- 3 F iii Lena Whittle - born in 1902.

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2541. [Franklin Augustus Whittle \(Burris, John, Ambrose, Augustus\)](#) was born in 1852 in Butler County, Alabama and died 13 Apr 1924 in Butler County.

Franklin married Martha Caroline Kirksey 15 Jan 1874. She was born about 1857 in SC and died 28 Aug 1920.

- 1 M i Dallas Whittle - born 30 Dec 1874 and died 10 Aug 1933 in Butler County. He married Mary Hix Jernigan 22 Dec 1892 and they had 2 children.
- 2 F ii Lucy Whittle - born about 1879 and died in 1962 in Butler County. She married Pluvus C. Wood and they had at least 5 children based on the 1910 and 1920 census.

2543. [Edwin Freeman Whittle \(Burris, John, Ambrose, Augustus\)](#) was born in 1863 in Butler County, Alabama and died there.

Our thanks to Bonnie Whittle for providing this information about her great grandparents. Emmitte and his wife Lula lived on the original 640 acre tract of land pioneered by his father Augustus.

- 1 F i Bertha M. Whittle- born Aug 1893.
- 2 M ii Quinn A. Whittle - born 1895.
- 3 F iii Lois M. Whittle - born 1896.
- 4 M iv Robert O. Whittle - born 1898.
- 5 M v Emmitte Edwin Whittle - 27 Jan 1900 and died 8 Feb 1994.
- 6 M vi William Grady Whittle - born 1901.
- 7 F vii Mattie Virgil Whittle - born 1904.
- 8 F viii Jannie Myrtle Whittle - born 1906.
- 9 F ix Jesse N. Whittle - born 1910.

2554. [Henry Virginia Whittle \(Burris, John, Ambrose, John P.\)](#) was born Sep 1856 in Quincy, Gadsden County, Florida and died in Fowlstown, Decatur County, Georgia.

Henry married Claudia Thompson 31 Jan 1878 and they have a 4 month old son on the 1880 census. They are living on the family homestead in Gadsden County. Apparently Henry decided farming wasn't his life long goal, so on the 1900 census he is in Decatur County, Georgia, occupation carriage builder. His new wife's name is Carrie and she says they have been married for 3 years.

On the 1910 census Henry is still building carriages for a blacksmith shop. His daughter Claudia said she was born in Georgia, so this indicates Henry left Florida before 1889. Carrie's sister is living with them and her last name is Cleveland. She is single, so we can assume Carrie's maiden

name to be Cleveland.

Based on Henry's statement that he and Carrie were married in 1897, the children of Henry and Claudia Thompson are:

- 1 M i Charlton C. Whittle - born 1880.
- 2 M ii John B. Whittle - born Feb 1883.
- 3 M iii Henry C. Whittle - born Feb 1887.
- 4 F iv Claudia E. Whittle - born Aug 1889.
- 5 M v Paul G. Whittle - born Aug 1892.

The children of Henry and Carrie Cleveland are:

- 6 F vi Ollie R. Whittle - born 1905.

2571. [David Ambrose Whittle \(Burris, John, Ambrose, Quintillian Durke\)](#) was born Oct 1861 in Quincy, Gadsden County, Florida and died there in 1939.

David is found on the 1900 census farming in Gadsden County. He married Ella (unknown) in 1894. Ella was born in Alabama in Oct 1875. Her parents were born in South Carolina. The census taker in 1910, added the name "Allday" to Maud which may mean she was adopted or a child of Ella's first marriage.

- 1 F i Maud Whittle- born Sep 1889.
- 2 F ii Rosa Whittle- born 1912.

2572. [Walter T. Whittle \(Burris, John, Ambrose, Quintillian Durke\)](#) was born Mar 1871 in Quincy, Gadsden County, Florida and died in 1944 in Miami, Gila County, Arizona.

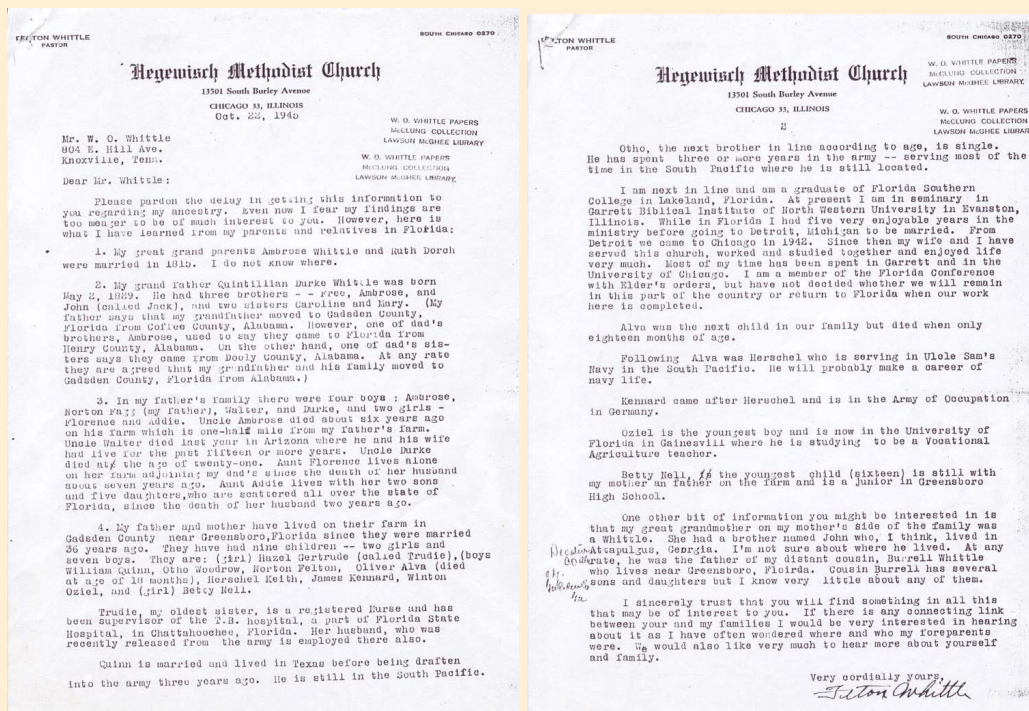
On the 1900 census, Walter is found living with a man named Pittman in Gadsden County and apparently still single. There are 5 adult males all listed as son's, all with different last names, a confusing picture. Walter left Florida and in 1902 married Jennie (unknown), born in Maine. On the 1910 census they are found in Union, New Jersey where Walter is a foreman in a rubber factory. Jennie says she had 3 children and only 1 still living. Her son Lawrence lives with them in NJ.

In time for the 1920 census, Walter and Jennie are found in Miami, Gila County, Arizona. Walter works in the office of a copper mine. They appear to also own a rooming house with 5 boarders and a maid. Jennie's son still lives with them, and his name is Clarence on the 1920 census. Walter also works for the copper mine in 1930, but seems to have given up the rooming house.

Walter died in 1944 as noted in the letter from his nephew Felton Whittle. It does not appear that he and Jennie had any children of their own.

2574. [Norton Fagg Whittle \(Burris, John, Ambrose, Quintillian Durke\)](#) was born Feb 1878 in Quincy, Gadsden County, Florida and died there 4 Jan 1946.

On the 1900 Census, Norton is working on his brother David's farm in Gadsden County. In 1909, Norton married Bessie Alline McDonald and started a family. Bessie was born 14 Oct 1888 and died 12 Aug 1966. One of their sons, Rev. Felton Whittle, wrote this letter to W.O. Whittle in 1945 which verifies their 9 children and provides other family information.



Courtesy Calvin M. McClung Collection, Knox County Public Library, Knoxville, TN.

- 1 F i Hazel Gertrude "Trudie" Whittle - born 1911.
- 2 M ii William Quinn Whittle - born 1913.
- 3 M iii Otho Woodrow Whittle - born 1915.
- 4 M iv Norton Felton Whittle - born 1918.
- 5 M v Oliver Alva Whittle - born 1919, died age 18 months.
- 6 M vi Herschel Keith Whittle - born 1922.
- 7 M vii James Kennard Whittle- born 1924
- 8 M viii Winton Oziel Whittle - born 1926.
- 9 F ix Betty Nell Whittle - born 1929.

2595. [Zack Wilkins Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell, James Gideon\)](#) was born 4 Apr 1868 in Dooly County, GA and died in Berrien County, GA on 25 Jul 1925.

Zack is farming in Dooly County on the 1900 census, Crisp County in 1910 and Berrien County in 1920. He married Fannie Louphella (Lowe) Dorough, born Oct 1875. They had 9 children.

- 1 F i Florence L. Whittle - born Mar 1892.
- 2 F ii Anna R. Whittle - born Nov 1893.
- 3 M iii Ewell N. Whittle - born Dec 1895.
- 4 F iv Ove Whittle - born Dec 1897.
- 5 M v Robert W. Whittle - born Jan 1900.
- 6 M vi Darough Whittle - born 1902.
- 7 F vii Gurly F. Whittle - born 1904.
- 8 F viii Gather L. Whittle - born 1906.

9 M ix Lynn S. Whittle - born 19152.

2596. [Robert Quintillian Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell, James Gideon\)](#) was born 29 Nov 1870 in Dooly County, GA and died in Clay County, GA on 16 Feb 1957.

Robert worked in a sawmill in 1910 and is listed as a minister on the 1920 census. He married Ola Louise Wade and had 3 children. Two of their children are living with Robert and probably a second wife named Lucy in 1930.

- 1 F i Jewel Whittle - born 1904.
- 2 F ii Sallie M. Whittle- born 1912.
- 3 M iii Lamar Whittle - born 1918.

2597. [Lee Roy Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell, James Gideon\)](#) was born Oct 1877 in Dooly County, GA and died Sep 1903 in Bibb County, GA.

On the 1900 census, Leroy and Laura Whittle are listed as step children in the household of James Bellflower in Bibb County. Based on family data we received from James D. Brooks, it seems likely that Laura is his wife, Laura Draughon. She says that she is the mother of one child who is no longer living. James Bellflower is married to a Laura as well. This is likely Laura White Draughon, Laura's mother, and her second marriage.

On the 1910 census, Laura Draughon has remarried John Oliver and Ira and Curtis Whittle are living in their household in Turner County, GA.

- 1 M i Lee James Whittle - born 16 Jul 1899 and died 30 Jul 1899.
- 2 M ii Ira Hugh Whittle - born 23 Aug 1900 and died 13 Mar 1936.
- 3 M iii Curtis Whittle - born 6 Dec 1902.

2598. [Hugh Lawson Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell, James Gideon\)](#) was born Sep 1881 in Dooly County, GA.

On the 1910 census Hugh is farming in Crisp County with his wife Mary Jane Harden. By 1920 he is in Berrien County near his brother Zack. No records have been found after 1920.

- 1 F i Nancy Jane Whittle - born 1907.
- 2 M ii Warren B. Whittle - born 1909.
- 3 F iii Annie M. Whittle - born 1912.
- 4 M iv Benjamin D. Whittle - born 1918.
- 5 M v James Russell Whittle - born 1917.
- 6 M vi Pleasant Henry Whittle - born 1917.
- 7 M vii Hugh Lawson Whittle, Jr. - born 9 Aug 1921.

2631. [Daniel William Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell, Ambrose Daniel\)](#) was born in 1850 in Dale County, AL.

- 1 M i William Whittle

2632. [George "Sandy" W. Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell, Ambrose Daniel\)](#) was born in 10 Aug 1852 and died 5 Mar 1917 in Dale County, AL.

George is found on the 1880 census living next door to his father. He married Susan A. Riley born Aug 1858 in AL. She died 17 Apr 1906. There is a patent for 120 acres in Dale County, AL on file with the Montgomery Land Office dated 1 Dec 1885 for George Whittle. Most of this family is buried at Mount Carmel Methodist Church Cemetery in Dale County, AL.

- 1 M i William Early Whittle - born Jun 1876.
- 2 F ii Mary Effie Whittle- born 27 Apr 1878 and died 18 May 1957. Effie married John Wesley Cone and they move to Missouri.
- 3 M iii Daniel D. Whittle - born Jan 1880 and died 24 Feb 1965.
- 4 F iv Aquilla Whittle - born Apr 1885.
- 5 M v Whit Whittle - born Sep 1887.
- 6 F vi Alcie Whittle - born Feb 1890.
- 7 M vii James Tilmon Whittle - born 22 Apr 1893. He served in a medical unit during WW I.
- 8 M viii Timothy "Dock" Whittle - born 8 Nov 1895 and died 14 Oct 1969.
- 9 M ix John B. Whittle - born 9 Oct 1897 and died 7 Jun 1918 at Baccarat, France in WW I.
- 10 M x Simon E. Whittle - born 24 Mar 1900 and died 25 Jul 1900.
- 11 F xi Lutie Whittle - born 1902

2635. [Cornelius "Neil" Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell, Ambrose Daniel\)](#) was born in 1858 and died prior to 1920 in Dale County, AL.

Cornelius is found on the 1880 census living next door to his father. He married Malinda Riley born 1861 in AL. On the 1920 census Melinda is living with her mother.

2641. [Newton Carmichael Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell, Cinchen\)](#) was born 13 Dec 1853 in Barbour County, AL and died in Houston, Texas on 28 Sep 1905.

Newton is living with his parents on the 1870 census. Some time before 1880, Newton moved to Crockett, Houston County, Texas. He married Mollie (reported on Ancestry.com as Jones) on 4 Nov 1879. They had 3 children:

- 1 F i Louella Whittle - born 26 Sep 1885.
- 2 F ii Eula Lee Whittle- born 1 Oct 1892 in Jones School House, Houston, TX. She married Joseph Brown Nelson.
- 3 M iii Clifton Leonard Whittle - born 1899.

Newton is buried at McCarty Cemetery, Jones School House, Houston County, Texas. This information was originally made public in 1981 by Neta Nelson who is related to Eula and Joseph Nelson. We believe it to be accurate.

2645. [Buford L. Yancy Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell, Cinchen\)](#) was born 17 Oct 1865 in Mitchell County, GA and died there on 24 Apr 1937.

Yancy is on the 1910 census with his wife Ida Belle (unknown) and their 6 daughters. Ida Belle was born 9 Oct 1876 and died 6 May 1955. Yancy, Ida Belle and their infant son Earnest are in Liberty Hill Cemetery, Mitchell County, GA.

- 1 F i Estelle Whittle - born May 1895.
- 2 F ii Lenora Whittle - born Nov 1896 and is not on the 1910 census.
- 3 F iii Ettie Whittle - born 1898. She Is on the 1910 but not 1900 census.
- 4 F iv Leonas Whittle - born 1898. She is on the 1910 but not 1900 census.
- 5 F v Loretta Whittle - born Oct 1899.
- 6 F vi Lois Whittle - born 1903.
- 7 M vii Earnest P. Whittle - born 16 Apr 1905 and died 2 Dec 1906.
- 8 F viii Rosa Belle Whittle - born 1907.
- 9 F ix Edith Whittle - born 1910.
- 10 F x Clara Whittle - born 1914.

2661. [Burrell Edward Whittle \(Burris, John, Burrell, John N.\)](#) was born 10 Sep 1872 in Liberty County, FL and died 14 Mar 1951 in Liberty County, FL. He is buried in the J.C. Whittle Cemetery in Gadsden County.

Part of this information has been reconstructed from the tombstones at the J.C. Whittle cemetery. Burrell married Elizabeth Rebecca Boykin on 30 Jan 1896. She was born 7 Sep 1879 and died 11 Feb 1948. On the 1900 census Burrell and Lizzie list their first son William. On the 1930 census, their sons, James and Vasco are still living on their farm in Liberty County. Their son Charlie lives next door. Burrell is likely the distant cousin that Felton Whittle mentioned in the above letter.

- 1 M i William Edward Whittle - born 17 Nov 1896 and died 13 Apr 1925.
His tombstone lists him as a Sergeant in the US Army.
- 2 M ii Charlie L. Whittle - born 3 Jul 1902 and died 29 Sep 1981.
- 3 M iii James Clifford Whittle - born 30 Nov 1910.
- 4 M iv Vasco Adolfus Whittle - born 15 Oct 1913 and died 1 Jan 1984.

3143. [Samual Madison Whittle, Jr. \(Burris, John, James, Samuel Madison\)](#) was born 18 Jan 1887 in Lee County, Alabama and probably died before 1930 in Georgia or Arkansas.

On the 1910 census we find Sam Jr. and his wife Rubie L. (Pinnell) living in Rome, Tallapoosa, AL next door to his father and mother. Sometime before 1920 Sam and Rubie have moved to Atlanta, GA where Sam's occupation is listed as blacksmith. We have not been able to locate Sam or Rubie on the 1930 census. There is a Warren M. Whittle living in a boarding house in Tennessee who is about the right age to be their son. There is one, and only one, report on Ancestry.com that Warren and his two sisters moved to Palestine, AK and are buried there.

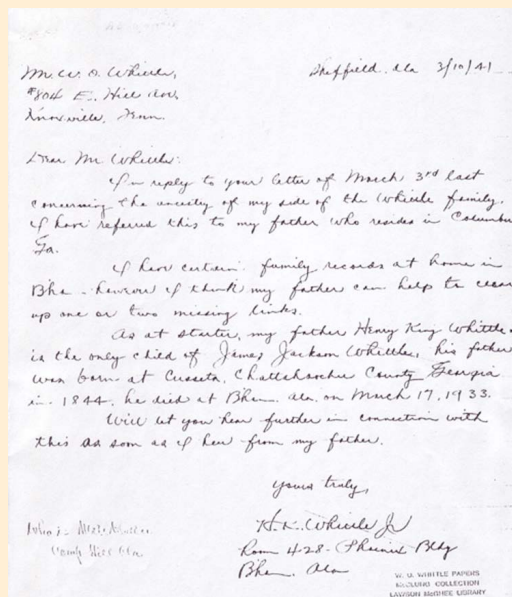
- 1 M i Warren M. Whittle - born 27 Oct 1908 and died 20 Jul 1979 in Palestine, AK (Bell Cemetery).
- 2 F ii Allie Jean Whittle - born 19 Apr 1910 and died in Palestine, AK 15 Dec 1998.
- 3 F iii Louise Whittle - born 1913.

3144. [Marion Watkins Whittle, Jr. \(Burris, John, James, Samuel Madison\)](#) was born 3 Aug 1889 in Lee County, Alabama and died 1 Feb 1931 at Camp Hill, AL (Verified from tombstone at Camp Hill Cemetery).

Marion served his country during WW I as a private in the 28th Infantry, 1st Division.

3151. [Henry King Whittle \(Burris, John, James, James Jackson\)](#) was born 21 Jan 1872 in Columbus, GA and died 3 Jun 1961 in New Orleans, LA.

Our thanks to both James D. Brooks, great grandson of James Jackson Whittle, and to Henry King Whittle, Jr., who responded to W.O. Whittle in 1941, for providing information about this family. It is unfortunate that Henry's father never responded to W.O. Whittle.



Courtesy Calvin M. McClung Collection, Knox County Public Library, Knoxville, TN.

"Henry married Kitty Hill Threlkeld, 20 Jun 1894 in Columbus, GA. Kitty was born 28 Jun 1871 in Griffin, GA and died 15 Sep 1951 in Columbus, GA."

Their children are:

- 1 F i Francis Louise Whittle - born 27 Jul 1895 and died 7 Feb 1958 in Columbus, GA.
- 2 F ii Sidney Leverette Whittle - born 8 Nov 1897, died 19 Mar 1950.
- 3 M iii Henry King Whittle, Jr. - born 29 Sep 1899, died 15 Jan 1964 in Orlando, FL.
- 4 F iv Angelyn Whittle - born 16 Jan 1905, died 31 Jan 1951 in East Point, GA.

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11321. [Otto LaFayette Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison, William H.\)](#) was born in Lowndes County, AL on 6 Sep 1875 and died there, 29 Feb 1964.

Otto and his first wife Lizzie A. (reported to be Cheatham) are farming in 1910. Lizzie says she lost her first child. One report on Ancestry.com says Lizzie died 24 Oct 1916. If this is true, Otto's first son would be from Lizzie. On the 1920 census, he lists his 2nd wife as Leora Roberts, because his mother in law, Ethlyne Roberts, is living with them. Otto and Leora had at least 3 children.

- 1 M i Z. D. Whittle - was born 16 Jul 1910 and died 25 Nov 1948.
- 2 F ii Elinor Whittle - was born in 1917.
- 3 F iii Irara M. Whittle - was born in 1923.
- 4 M iv William O. Whittle - was born in 1925.

11324. [Claude C. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison, William H.\)](#) was born in Lowndes County, AL between 1881 and 1883.

Claude and his wife Sarah (Hanks, according to Ancestry.com) are operating a boarding house in Ft. Deposit on the 1910 census. By 1920, Claude is living in Birmingham and lists his occupation as meat salesman. There whereabouts after 1920 are unknown.

- 1 M i William Adolph Whittle - was born 5 Feb 1907.
- 2 M ii Claude C. Whittle, Jr. - was born 29 Jul 1913.

11325. [Herbert Aubrey Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison, William H.\)](#) was born in Lowndes County, AL on 9 Nov 1882 and died there in 1941.

Herbert and his bride, Myrtis (reported on Ancestry.com as Canterbury) are living in the household of Burrell James on the 1910 census. Herbert's occupation is usually listed as merchant in a general store.

- 1 M i Walter Herbert Whittle - was born in 1912.
- 2 F ii Myrtis "Jesse" Whittle - was born in 1915.

11329. [Irby Cecil Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison, William H.\)](#) was born in Lowndes County, AL on Mar 1895 and died in Shelby County in May 1978.

Irby and his wife Gladys L. are found on the 1920 census living in the Mt. Willing District of Lowndes County. On the 1930 census they live next door to his brother Herbert.

- 1 F i Estelle Whittle - was born in 1919.
- 2 M ii Paul Whittle - was born in 1921.

11384. [James Ellison Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison, Jesse R.\)](#) was born July 25, 1907 in Pratt

City, Jefferson County, Alabama and died there Mar 1980.

James first married Ellen Kelso on September 17, 1927, then Flossie Mae Owen on May 3, 1930. There is a record of his divorce from Flossie Mae in 1952 found on Ancestry.com. His 3rd wife was Hattie Pauline Riggs. The children of his marriage to Flossie Mae Owen are:

- 1 F i Mary Whittle
- 2 M ii James Ellison Whittle, Jr.

The children of his marriage to Hattie Riggs are:

- 3 M iii Jeffrey Eugene Whittle - was born 18 Jan 1954.
- 4 M iv Robert Timothy Whittle - was born 8 Oct 1957.
- 5 M v Rodney Clark Whittle - was born 25 Jan 1960.

11386. [Jesse Mitchell Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison, Jesse R.\)](#) was born December 29, 1912 in Pratt City, Jefferson County, Alabama and died September 19, 1967 in Phoenix City, Alabama.

Jesse married Marion Nell Hardin December 17, 1932 in Phoenix City, Alabama.

113131. [Herman E. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison, John E.\)](#) was born 30 Aug 1895 in Butler County, Alabama and died 29 Jun 1981 in Dade County, Florida.

Herman assumed duties as head of household after his father's death in Pensacola, Florida. On the 1920 census Herman, Martis, Brooks and Walter are living together. Herman lists his occupation as owner of a grocery store. Apparently a larger chain bought the store because we next find him in Hattiesburg, MS and a manager of a chain grocery store on the 1930 census. He married an Irish lady named Barbara A. Cassidy. Her brother lives with them in Hattiesburg and apparently works at the same store.

In April, 2011 Donald Ray Whittle, grandson of Herman, contacted us and we are very grateful that he was able to provide information about his family:

"Dad, left for the Army very young and never returned, other than a visit now and then (from Mobile Ala.). I know Grandpa Herman, retired from A & P Groc. Stores in Fla. he and Grandma Barbara lived out their lives there, she passed away before him in the early 1960's Dad only had one son, me, with my mother (Jeanie Lee Stivender, from Texas), she followed him to Germany in 1956 & that is where I was born, later returning to Texas, which they divorced around 1960 or so, he went back to Germany and married a German girl, named Inge & had one child, girl, my 1/2 sister, Debra Renee Whittle in 1966, we are his only children, he retired from the Army in the mid 70's I thing 74 or 75, went on to college, later divorcing Inge, re-married again (Micky), she passed away in 2006. My cuz, Diane (Goode) Vanrooyen, daughter of Claudia (Claudia lives with Diane) knows way more about Grandpa, she was lucky enough to grow up around them, so I will be contacting her for more info, confirm the Hattiesburg, Ms thing and how many kids of Herman, Dad always said, there were only three with his mother, but have some 1/2 sisters, I will find out and email you back, I know he had a 1/2 sister who was in New Orleans, she passed away and Dad had to see to her!

I know this is way more info that you wanted, but its good to talk about it and I want my son and grandsons to know about their family history, as you can see, other than a few letters and one visit when I was real young I didn't have much contact with my Grandpa, Aunts, etc., when Grandma

passed away, Grandpa sent a telegram address to me to let me know she had passed, (I think I was in 5th grade) a simple thing, but meant the world to me!"

The children of Herman and Barbara are:

- 1 M i John Vernon Whittle - was born 8 Jul, 1931 in Mobile, AL.
- 2 F i Claudia Whittle - married a Goode.
- 3 F ii Mary Whittle

113132. [Vernon Ely Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Ellison, John E.\)](#) was born 26 Jan 1897 in Butler County, Alabama and died Feb 1966 in Long Island City, Queens, New York.

Vernon left Florida before the 1920 census and found his way to Manhattan. He served in the US Navy during WW I and is buried with his wife Erica in the Long Island National Cemetery. On the 1930 census Vernon, his German born wife Erica and their son, Donald are living in Queens, NY, his occupation is listed as salesman of sporting goods.

- 1 M i Donald Whittle - was born in 1930.

11551. [Walter Marcus Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Emsley, Eldridge\)](#) was born 15 Mar 1868 in Lowndes County, AL and died 25 Jun 1932 in Forest Home, Butler County, AL.

On the 1900 census Walter is listed as a cousin living in the household of Ruben Whittle in Conecuh County. This Rubin, born about 1861 is first found on the census of 1880, living with his 16 year old sister, Martha, in Butler County. On the 1880 census both Rubin and Martha say their parents were born in SC. Ruben seems to be a previously undiscovered child of one of Eldridge Emsley Whittle's brothers, whom we know little about, assuming they are 1st cousins. Ruben and his wife Emmie have 6 daughters and 3 sons on the 1900 census.

Walter married Alice Little, 9 Nov 1909. They had 1 daughter:

- 1 F i Vernia Whittle - was born in 1919.

11552. [James Thomas Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., William, Emsley, Eldridge\)](#) was born 1870 in Lowndes County, AL and died in Butler County after 1930.

James and his wife Rosa B. (reported on Ancestry.com as Ernest) are found in Butler County on the 1910 census. Rosa tells the census taker they have been married 18 years and she bore 6 children, only 3 are still living. Eldridge is still living on their farm on the 1930 census.

- 1 F i Lula Belle Whittle - was born in 1895.
- 2 M ii George Eldridge Whittle - was born in 1903.
- 3 M iii James Ralph Whittle - was born in 1904.

12323. [Thomas Allison Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Amos, Thomas\)](#) was born in Saluda County in 1875 and died 6 Sep 1937 at Alms House Ward, Columbia, SC.

Thomas was farming in Saluda on the 1900 census. He must have decided that farm life wasn't his thing, on both the 1910 and 1920 census, he is working as a spooler at Richland Mills in Columbia. He married Mincie Carver. She was born 17 Feb 1874 and died 22 Dec 1941 in Columbia, SC.

The children of Thomas and Mincie are:

- 1 F i Lois Whittle - was born 2 Aug 1899 and died 7 Apr 1982. She married Frank L. Warren. they had one daughter Dorothy L. Warren. The family lived in Lexington, SC.
- 2 M ii Sidney Bland Whittle - was born in 26 Oct 1900 and died 19 Apr 1956. He married Almata Rhodes.
- 3 M iii Joel Linsey Whittle - was born in 1903. He married Ida Elizabeth Mims.
- 4 M iv Claude Whittle - was born 12 Oct 1906 and died 23 Nov 1950. He married Josephine Keels in 1929.
- 5 F v Ruth Whittle - was born in 1909. She is on the 1930 census with husband Jessie T. Wooten. Thomas and Mincie are living with them in Columbia, SC.

12324. [James Edwin Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Amos, Thomas\)](#) was born in Saluda County Apr 1877 and died in Ward, Saluda County on 20 Dec 1932.

On the 1930 census James is living with his son Lake and his wife Emmie C. Watson. James Edwin's informat, Lake Whittle, states on his death certificate that he was a widower and based on the 1920 census, Emmie was born 11 Nov 1821 and died 27 Nov 1918.

- 1 M i Lake Hinton Whittle - was born in 1904.
- 2 M ii James Guy Whittle - was born in 1905.
- 3 M iii Roy Rembert Whittle - was born in 1906.
- 4 F iv Trennie Lou Whittle - was born in 1910. "Aunt Trennie lived up the street from NH Whittle on Brandon Ave, Columbia, SC. I recall going to her small house and watching color TV for the first time when I was young. She also had air conditioning, something we did not." Our thanks to Patricia Eleazer Fetner for information about Aunt Trennie and Granddaddy Whittle.
- 5 M v N. H. Whittle - was born in 1912. "NH "Whit" Whittle was my grandmother's (Georgia Lorraine Bouknight Eleazer) second husband, after my grandfather (Robert Forrest Eleazer) died. NH was the only grandfather I had, I called him granddaddy and he called me Patsy. No one but him has ever been allowed to call me that! He worked at Southern Railway, where Robert Forrest and his 2 sons (one of whom was my dad) also worked. That is how he met Georgia Lorraine."

12683. [Zeddie L. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Alfred, Edward\)](#) was born in Catawba County, NC in 1896.

Zeddie is listed by the census taker as female on the 1910 census. There is a male "Jettie", born 1896, listed as the grandson of Harriet Yoder on the 1920 census. Zeddie is married to a woman named Barbara and they have a son named Marshall L. born in 1920. He is listed as the great grandson of Harriet Yoder. On the 1930 census Zeddie and Barbara are found in Baltimore, MD with a son Marshall born in NC in 1919. There is no proof that this is the same Zeddie but certainly there is good evidence.

- 1 M i Marshall L (or E). Whittle - was born in 1919.

2 F ii Virginia Whittle - was born in 1924.

12842. [Albert H. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Willis Jr., Green\)](#) was born 9 Oct 1882 in Saluda County and died there 18 Sep 1961.

Albert married Lillian K. Orander. Both Albert and his brother Willis were farmers in Saluda County. Albert and Lillian had the following children.

- 1 M i Levi R. Whittle - was born 25 May 1912 and died 27 Mar 1981. He married Gertrude Anderson and later Martha Krause.
- 2 M ii Raymond Boyd Whittle - was born 15 Apr 1918 and died 11 Jul 1957. He married Carrie Craps.
- 3 M iii Elvin C. Whittle - was born 23 Jun 1923 and died 28 Apr 1975. He first married Margaret Bedenbaugh and later Verna Long.
- 4 M iv Lorenza K. Whittle - was born 25 Oct 1927 and died 24 Dec 1975. He married Geneva Craps.
- 5 F v Artie Cleo Whittle - was born in 1930. She married John F. Weaver.

12845. [Charles H. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Willis Jr., Green\)](#) was born 15 Feb 1891 and died 2 Oct 1946.

He married Tollie Garvin who was born 13 Aug 1895 and died 20 Apr 1980. They had 2 children.

- 1 F i Evelyn Whittle
- 2 M ii Wade Hampton Whittle

12846. [Willis A. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Willis Jr., Green\)](#) was born 15 Feb 1891 in Saluda County and died 14 May 1933 in Germanville, Saluda County, SC.

Willis married Lila M Orander and they had the following children.

- 128461 F i Blanch H. Whittle - was born 12 Oct 1918 and died 2. Feb 2013. She married Edward L. Quin who was born 1 Jun 1926 and died 11 Jun 1990. They lived in Leesville, SC.
- + 128462 M ii [William Green Whittle](#)
- 128463 M iii Clarence F. Whittle - was born 23 May 1920 and died 15 Oct 1998. He was a WW II veteran and later a retired truck driver. He lived most of his life in Shelby, NC.
- 128464 F iv Midred K. Whittle - was born 21 May 1921 and died 2 May 1920. She married a Snelgrove.
- 128465 F v Bertha A. Whittle - was born 15 Jan 1924 and died 7 Apr 2012. She may not have ever married.
- 128466 M vi James David Whittle - was born 16 Aug 1928 and died and died 16 Oct 1992. He had one daughter named Judy Whittle Windsor.
- 128467 F vii Marie R. Whittle - was born about 1932 and died 20 Mar 2017. She married a Bryan and then Grover Smith.
- 128468 F viii Elizabeth Whittle - was born about 1935 and died after 2013. She married a Burkett.

12847. [Green Berry Whittle, Jr. \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Willis Jr., Green\)](#) was born 9 Mar 1893 in Saluda County.

Greenberry is found on the 1930 census farming in Aiken, SC with his wife and one daughter. The 1930 census lists his age as 33, which is 5 years different than the 1910 census data. His mother Nancy Warren is also living with him. Green married Alberta Maroney and later Irene Stevenson.

- 1 F i Saluda Whittle - was born in 1923. She married James Wesley Maroney.
- 2 M ii Franklin Whittle

12848. [Olin Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Willis Jr., Green\)](#) was born 2 Mar 1894 in Saluda County and died 22 Oct 1963 in Aiken, SC.

Ollie and his wife Josephine Oswalt are found on the 1920 census farming in Black Creek, Lexington County, SC.

- 1 F i Cleo Whittle - was born in 1914.
- 2 F ii Florrie Whittle - was born in 1916.
- 3 F iii Louise Whittle - was born in 1920.
- 4 M iv Bobby Whittle - was born in 1923.
- 5 M v Olin Whittle - was born in 1925.
- 6 M vi Lindberg Whittle - was born in 1928. He died at age 14 in a hunting accident.

12971. [Travis Scurry Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Mahlon, Ravenel\)](#) was born 19 Feb 1899 in Saluda County and died in Hartsville, Darlington County, SC in Apr 1973.

Travis was living with his brother RM in Darlington County on the 1930 census. Sometime after 1930, Travis married Letha Marie Truett. She was born in 1906 and died in 1983. From his obituary published in the Florence Morning News in 1973, Travis and Marie had the following children.

- 1 M i William "Billy" Travis Whittle - was born in 1933 and died in 1987.
- 2 F ii Frankie Whittle - married John C. Northcutt and lived in Dalton, GA.
- 3 F iii Janice Whittle - married Jimmy Hodges and lived in Talmadege, OH.

12972. [Ravenel McBeth Whittle, Jr. \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Mahlon, Ravenel\)](#) was born in Saluda County in 1900 and died in Hartsville, Darlington County, SC on 30 Nov 1964.

RM is found on the 1930 census with his wife Bertha Grantham Whittle living in Darlington County. Both RM and his brother Travis were auto mechanics. From his obituary published in the Florence Morning News in 1964, RM and Bertha had the following children:

- 1 M i Allen David Whittle - was born in 1925.
- 2 F ii Sarah Margaret Whittle - was born in 1925. She married James E. Amerson and lived in Lumberton, NC.
- Bobby Carlton Whittle - was born 30 Sep 1935. He married Betty Jean

3 M iii Gilbert. Bobby is retired from the US Air Force.

12973. [Mahlon Dupre Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Mahlon, Ravenel\)](#) was born in Saluda County in 1905 and died in Hartsville, Darlington County, SC in 1981.

Dupre married Marie Campbell. Four children are named in their daughter Laura's wedding announcement published by the Florence Morning News in 1967.

- 1 M i Chandler Whittle
- 2 F ii Whittle - married William McKay.
- 3 F iii Laura Alice Whittle - married Richard Harmon McKelvey.
- 4 F iv Cindy Whittle

12977. [Carl Edgar Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Mahlon, Ravenel\)](#) was born in Saluda County 22 Apr 1910 and died in Hartsville, Darlington County, SC in Sep 1983.

Carl married (unknown) Haynes or Pointe. No other information has been found.

12978. [Clyde Marvin Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Mahlon, Ravenel\)](#) was born in Saluda County 28 Feb 1913 and died in Hartsville, Darlington County, SC in Feb 1980.

Clyde married Blanche Cassidy. Two children are listed in her obituary from the Florence Morning News in 1967.

- 1 M i Clyde Marvin Whittle, Jr.
- 2 F ii Betty Whittle - She married Gene Watson and lived in Darlington, SC.

12991. [Prevost William Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Mahlon, Shelton\)](#) was born in Saluda County 21 Sep 1897 and died 5 May 1963 in Dade County, Florida.



Prevost William Whittle - Courtesy of Heather Patrick March 7, 2008

Our thanks to Heather Patrick for providing this information about Prevost, her great grandfather, all verified by their family Bible in the hands of her grandmother.

Prevost worked as an electrical lineman climbing poles most of his career. He married Mildred Konemann on May 5, 1919. Mildred was born on January 24, 1903 in Columbia, SC and died on January 12, 1962. Her parent's were Charles Konemann and Mary Grimsley Konemann. Prevost and Mildred raised 11 children as well as caring for Prevost's father during his senior years. The legacy of Scratch Whittle is well preserved in FL, GA and TN.

- 1 M i Prevost William Whittle, Jr. - was born March 29, 1920, died July 7, 1926.
- Shelton Dubose Whittle was born May 22, 1921, married Mildred Picoa on January 13, 1943. Mildred was born on November 25, 1920 in Indianapolis, Indiana. They are both still alive and live in Cloudland GA. He is a retired schoolteacher and served in the US Navy.
- He and Mildred have three children: Donald Charles (aka Chuck) born March 20, 1945 in Miami, Florida. Susan Jane (aka Susie) was born December 20, 1950 in Miami, Florida. Patricia Ann (aka Patty) was born on June 24, 1953 in Miami, Florida.
- 2 M ii Donald married Charlotte Elizabeth McFadden who was born January 21, 1947. They have two children, Sarah Rebekah born August 11, 1980 in Hialeah, Florida and Shelton Paul (goes by Paul) born July 20, 1982 in Wildwood, GA. Sarah married Daniel Millican (born May 1976) on May 29, 1999.

Susan married Robert John Wilcox who was born on May 27, 1949 in Tarentum, Pennsylvania. They have two children, Kelly Michelle who was born on November 21, 1974 in Miami, Florida and Kristi Jeanette Wilcox who was born on November 30, 1980. Kelly married Phillip Bradley Thomas (born on June 16, 1979). They have one daughter Shania Michelle Thomas, born on February 2, 1997.

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3 M iii Charles Everett Whittle was born on November 6, 1923 in Fayetteville, North Carolina and died May 1, 1973 in Melborn, Florida. He married Alma Jean Cook (aka Jeannie) on January 4, 1947. Alma was born on January 5, 1928. They had four sons: Charles Duane (goes by Duane) born on January 17, 1950 in Miami, Florida, James Dennis was born on April 14, 1957, David George was born on April 24, 1953, and Robert Earl Whittle.

4 M iv Donald Wesley Whittle was born on August 2, 1925 in Columbia, South Carolina and died on June 24, 1945 in Columbia, South Carolina.

5 M v Herbert Ercell Whittle was born on Jan 19, 1929 in Columbia, South Carolina. He married a woman named Anita. They had one son, Herbert Ercell Whittle, Jr. He died at a young age and is buried in Southern Memorial Cemetary in Miami, Florida. Herbert was in the US Army and was sent to North Korea on December 20, 1950 for the Koren Conflict. He was seriously wounded in battle by a missile but survived and is now living in Cloudland, Georgia. He lives right next door to Shelton Dubose and his family.

6 F vi Joyce Elizabeth Whittle (aka Jo) was born on March 19, 1932 in Columbia, South Carolina. She married Walter Barrow on August 2, 1949. Walter was born on May 9, 1928. They had two sons, Donald Wesley Barrow who was born on November 24, 1955 and Wesley Kevin Barrow who was born on June 22, 1957. Joyce died on May 23, 1997 in Hepzibah, Georgia. She is buried on May 27, 1997 in Hillcrest Memorial Park in Hepzibah, Georgia.

Mildred Konemann Whittle was born on October 10, 1934 in Columbia, South Carolina. She married William Max Martin on December 28, 1953 in Ringgold Georgia. William was born on May 13, 1931 in Priestley, West Virginia. They had three children,
 - Maxie Charlene who was born on July 14, 1956 in Crossville, Tennessee;
 - William Max Jr. who was born on February 17, 1959 in Hialeah, Florida;
 - and Wilma Jeanne who was born on January 24, 1961 in Hialeah, Florida.

7 F vii Maxie had one daughter with Whaler Stephens (they were not married) named Stefanie Paige Martin. She was born on June 18, 1981 in Crossville, Tennessee. She married Joseph Ray Johnson on June 11, 2005. Maxie had another daughter with Lawrence Edward Dixon (they were not married) named Heather Michelle Martin. She was born on June 23, 1982 in Crossville, Tennessee. She married Michael Darren Patrick on May 8, 2004 in Crossville, Tennessee. Michael was born on November 14, 1977 in Knoxville, Tennessee.

Mildred, Maxie, Wilma, and Stefanie all reside in Crossville, Tennessee. Heather and Michael reside in Knoxville, Tennessee.

Thomas Ray Whittle (aka Tommy) was born on August 20, 1940 in Columbia, South Carolina and died on January 4, 1999 in Gainesville, Florida. He married Maxine Martin Bertram (the sister of William Max

- 8 M viii Martin, husband of Mildred Konemann Whittle, see above). They had one son, Thomas Ray Whittle, Jr. Thomas and Maxine divorced and he later married a woman named Mildred (aka Millie). They had two children, Richard and Lisa.

- 9 M ix Marion Landon Whittle was born on January 12, 1938 in Columbia, South Carolina. He married Darren Bell (aka Dee). They had two children, Veronica (aka Ronnie) and Walker Landon. Veronica married B.P. Plack.

- 10 M x Paul Whittle was born on October 3, 1942 in Columbia, South Carolina. He married a woman named Donna and they had three children. Donna Pauline (aka Binky) was born on May 20, 1967. Mildred Wendella (Wendy) was born on July 22, 1970. Gretna Jeanine (Jenny) was born on January 25, 1972. Paul's second wife was Susie. She is from Korea. They had one son William Paul who was born on November 26, 1981.

- 11 M xi Carroll Whittle was born on August 22, 1944 in Columbia, South Carolina. He married a woman named Linda and they had three children, Lisa, Michael (aka Mike), and Michelle (aka Shelly). Lisa married Jimmy Gardner. They have two children, Jamie and Lindsey. They live in Lake City, Florida. Michael is also married and lives in Lake City, Florida. Michelle married Martin Cupp and they had two daughters. They live in Live Oak, Florida.

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Sixth Generation (continued)

13251. [William E. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Reason, James Clayton\)](#) was born in Hillsborough County, Florida in 1872.

On the 1910 census, William and his wife Mary A. (unknown) are living in Suwannee County, William's occupation is blacksmith. Mary says she bore 9 children, only 5 still living. William also lists a sister named Annie, born 1895, living in his household. By 1920 William and Mary are living in Jasper, Hamilton County. William owns his own blacksmith shop.

- 1 M i Oscar Whittle - born 1897.
- 2 M ii Leonard A. Whittle - born 1900.
- 3 M iii Eugene Whittle - born 1905.
- 4 M iv Gilford Whittle - born 1907.
- 5 F v Ethel E. Whittle - born Jan 1909.

13255. [Reason Alexander Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Reason, James Clayton\)](#) was born in Hillsborough County, Florida in 1884 and died there in 1947.

On the gravestone of an infant daughter, Reason is called "Ready" which most likely was his nickname. Reason first appears with a family on the 1910 census living in John's Pass, Florida. Sometime after that he and his wife Ruby Ervin moved next door to his 3rd cousin, Claude Wilson Whittle in Seminole, Florida. Both of them were in partnership as successful orange grove farmers. Reason and Ruby are in the Seminole Cemetery along with 14 other Whittles and related family members. Reason and Ruby had the following children:

- + 132551 M i [Robert Clayton Whittle](#)
- 132552 F ii Ruby Golding Whittle - born Jan 1909. She married a Rothermel
- 132553 M iii Reason C. Whittle - born in 1913.
- 132554 M iv Rodney M. Whittle - born in 1916.
- 132555 F v Freida J. Whittle - born in 1918. She married a Rishor.
- 132556 M vi Walter R. Whittle - born in 1920 and died in 1995.
- 132557 M vii Jeter E. Whittle - born in 1924 and died 13 Nov 2007.
- 132558 M viii Gerald E. Whittle - born in 1927.
- + 132559 M ix [Mark Brown Whittle](#)



Courtesy of Mark Elliott Whittle, grandson of Reason Alexander Whittle - 14 Apr 2012

This photograph was taken sometime in the late 1940s after Reason had died. From the left, Walter R, Mark B, Gerald E, Freida and Rodney Whittle.

13431. [Harvey Moore Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Allison Harvey\)](#) was born Apr 1877 in Alabama and died in Abilene, Taylor County, Texas in 1944.

Harvey worked as a farm laborer in Alabama until about 1908. At age 30 he married Emma Roberts who was born in Alabama. Shortly after that he followed his brother Eugene to Abilene, Texas. On both the 1920 and 1930 census his occupation is postal clerk. Harvey and Emma had one son.

1 M i Weldon Bernard Whittle - born 10 Jun 1910.

13432. [Eugene Wilson Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Allison Harvey\)](#) was born 20 Aug 1878 in Georgia and died in Taylor County, Texas on 23 Apr 1939.

Eugene moved to Texas sometime before 1910. Unlike his brother, Eugene seems to have been better suited for continuing the family tradition of farming cotton, probably because he had 5 sons to help him out.

He married an Alabama girl named Minerva Hollingsworth. She was born 16 Feb 1877 and died 28 Apr 1955. Eugene, Minerva and their son Gilbert are buried at McBee Cemetery in Taylor County.

1 M i Herman L. Whittle - born 1901 and died in 1976.

2 M ii Carl Whittle - born 1904.

3 F iii Eula B. Whittle - born 1905 and still living at home in 1930.

4 M iv Clyde Whittle - born 1907.

5 M v Grady Whittle - born 1913.

6 M vi Gilbert Cecil Whittle - born 9 Dec 1916 and died 31 Jul 1942.

13434. [Horace Floyd Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Allison Harvey\)](#) was born 1886 in Calhoun County, Alabama.

Horace has his own farm in Calhoun County by 1910. On the 1920 census he is living in Fayette County, AL. He married Sudie L. Browning. No records for Horace or his family have been found after 1920.

1 F i Eva (or Eula) Whittle - born 1907.

2 F ii Velma L. Whittle - born 1913.

13438. [Henry Holton Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Allison Harvey\)](#) was born 11 Sep 1896 in Calhoun County, Alabama and died there 23 Feb 1974.

The census taker noted that Henry and his brother Arthur were twins on the 1900 census. He married Jennie L. (unknown) they have one son on the 1930 census. Henry's parents, Allison and Eula, are living with them on their farm in Alabama.

1 M i Vernon R. Whittle

13441. [Eula Hepsey Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Minick\)](#) was born 24 Dec 1875 in Batesburg, SC and died 6 Jan 1914. She is buried at Old Providence Methodist Episcopal Church in Saluda County.

Eula married William Logan ("Doc") Wise. Doc was born 13 Sep 1866 and died 20 Sep 1950. Doc's parents were Annie Elizabeth Banks Wise (1837-1901) and John William Wise (1837-1904). Our thanks to Brad Wise for providing this information about his family.

"From left to right.....William Logan Wise, wife Eula Hepsy Whittle Wise, Annie Elizabeth Banks Wise.

I am guessing this picture was also taken in the 1890's. Again.....this is an amazing find. For 98% of you that receive these emails. Annie Elizabeth Banks Wise is either your great, 2nd great, or 3rd great grandmother. Annie Elizabeth was the daughter of Amos Banks. Amos was one of the first sheriffs in the Lexington County area before the Civil War when it was not a county. It was called the Dutch Fork District."



Courtesy of Betsy Shealy Humphries - Nov 2012



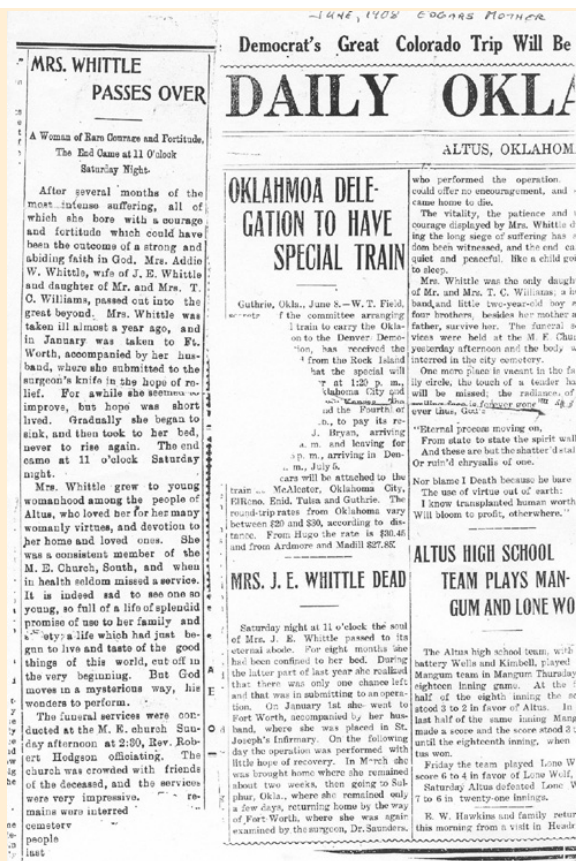
Eula Hepsey Whittle Wise - Courtesy of Brad Wise, Nov 2012

Eula and Doc Wise had the following children:

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|--------|---|-----|--|
| 134411 | F | i | DeAlva Wise - 1st married Preston Shealy, Jr. They had one daughter named Claire Lorraine Shealy Haltiwanger. Preston died very young and then she married F. Hampton Hendrix, Jr. They had two children, F Hampton Hendrix III and DeAlva Gail Hendrix. |
| 134412 | F | ii | Alma Teresa Wise - married Josiah Shealy. |
| 134413 | F | iii | Elizabeth Wise - married Lynn W. Cooper. |
| 134414 | M | iv | Lorraine Wise - survived World War II but was killed in a plane crash after the War. He is buried in Quam. |

13442. [Joseph Edgar "JE" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Minick\)](#) was born 30 Jul 1877 in Batesburg, SC and died in Seminole, Hillsborough County, Florida on 3 Feb 1947.

JE left South Carolina about 1900 and headed West. He stopped for a time in Texas and then moved to Altus, Oklahoma in Oct 1902 where he married Addie Williams who was from Lyon County, Kentucky. JE and Addie had one son before she died in Jun 1908. JE is listed as a book keeper at an alfalfa mill on the 1910 census.



Courtesy of his grandson, Joe Claude Whittle, April 2007

+ 134421 M i [Thomas Edgar Whittle](#)

JE moved to Oklahoma City in 1921 and was a life time member of the Odd Fellows Lodge. He was the founder and president of the Odd Fellows fraternal organization, The Good Samaritan Life Association. Here he is featured in their newsletter in 1933 along with his two sons.



Courtesy of his grandson, Joe Claude Whittle, April 2007

JE married Janie Cash who was a cousin of his first wife. Janie also was raised in Lyon County, KY. They had one son.

+ 134422 M ii [J. Claude Whittle](#)

JE spent a lot of his time on the road visiting his relatives always ending in stops in Kentucky and South Carolina. He owned property in Florida and was always close to his brother Claude. JE is buried in Memorial Cemetery in Oklahoma City as are both his sons. Janie Cash Whittle is buried at Saratoga Church Cemetery in Princeton, KY.

13443. [Alma Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Minick\)](#) was born 17 Aug 1879 in Batesburg, SC and died there in 1948.

Alma married Noah Derrick who was born in 1878 and died in 1947. Both were life time employees of Matthews and Bouknight Store in Leesville. They had no children but they had a very well known house in Leesville. This family picture was taken on Pearl Harbor Day, 7 Dec 1941.



Courtesy of Lauriston Keith Whittle - March, 2007

From left to right Mark Manchester Shealy, Noah Derick, Elizabeth "Lizzie" Shealy, Alma Derick, Quinby Eubanks, Vita Whittle (Jake's wife), Eunice Eubanks, Curtis Columbus Whittle, Jr "Jake", Elizabeth Etheridge Whittle, Herbert T. Whittle, Curtis Columbus Whittle, Sr., Lauriston Keith Whittle, Effie Wise Whittle, Freddy F. Whittle and Rudolph "Rye" Whittle.

13444. [Claude Wilson Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Minick\)](#) was born in 1881 in Batesburg, SC and died in Seminole, Pinellas County, Florida in 1974.

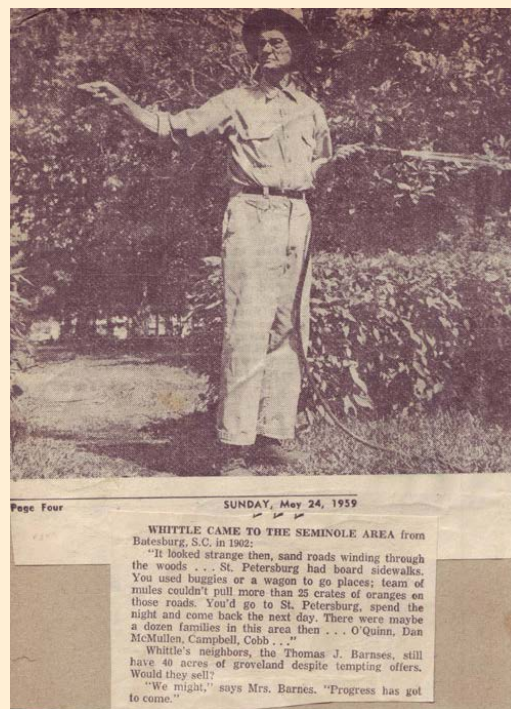
Claude left South Carolina in 1902 and followed his uncle Reason to Florida. He homesteaded in the Seminole area on what is now 86th Avenue and Seminole Blvd. Claude went into a partnership with his 3rd cousin Reason Alexander Whittle and they bought land for growing oranges. Reason died in 1947 and it is said that it took Claude 9 years to buy out Reason's interest.

When he wasn't fishing, he ran this road side fruit stand and sold some of his oranges to the tourists that came to town. It is said that his wife made him close it down because he would occasionally take credit instead of cash.



Courtesy of Sally Marie Whittle Smith, October 2006

Here is a picture of Claude published in either the St. Petersburg Times or the local Seminole or Largo newspaper in 1959. Note the references to St. Pete board sidewalks a few years before the "green benches" were installed. Try and find this spot in 2007, he is probably pointing at the traffic even in 1959.



Courtesy Dorothy Dale Taylor Whittle, May 1959

Claude married Perry Detta Cobb in 1905 after he moved to Florida. Detta was born in 1888 and died 16 May 1980. Both are buried in the Seminole Cemetery in Largo, Florida.

- 1 F i Clemmentine Elizabeth Whittle - born in 1907 and died in 1983. She married Dr. Daniel McMullen.
- 2 F ii Mildred Harriet Whittle - born in 1910 and died in 1969. She married a Meares.

- 3 F iii Emma Vinelle Whittle - born in 1918 and died in 1981. She married a Plemmons.

Here is a picture of the family dating from sometime in the early 1930's.



Courtesy of Brad Wise, January 2013

13445. [Curtis Columbus Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Minick\)](#) was born 1883 in Batesburg, SC and died in Williston, SC in 1945.

Curtis moved to Williston about 1910 and bought farm land from his uncle Paul Quattlebaum. He married Effie Eugenia Wise. Effie was born in 1885 and died in 1972. They raised a family of 7 children and had one son Truett Wise who died in infancy. All of the six Whittle brothers remained in Williston and owned local businesses including Whittle Motor Company, a seed and feed store, a grocery store, Whittle Brothers gas station and farming operations.



Courtesy of Lauriston Keith Whittle - March, 2007

- 134451 M i [Curtis Columbus "Jake" Whittle, Jr.](#)
134452 M ii Rudolph "Rye" Whittle was born 1910.
134453 F iii Dorothy Ruth Whittle - born in 1914 and died in 1987, she married Robert Ritter.

134454 M iv Minick "Jim" Quincy Whittle was born 1916.

134455 M v Herbert Tillman Whittle was born 1918.

+ 134456 M vi [Lauriston Keith Whittle](#)

Freddy Fellows Whittle - born 1924 and died in 2002. Freddy

134457 M vii never married. Keith Whittle told me that Freddy never recovered from his experience at Omaha Beach during WW II.

13446. [Clarence M. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Minick\)](#) was born in 14 Nov 1885 in Batesburg, SC and died in Huntington, West Virginia on 25 Aug 1957.

Clarence followed his brother JE to Altus, Oklahoma and lived with him on the 1910 census. Clarence married Mary "Mollie" Alice Withers and they had 3 daughters before leaving Oklahoma. They moved to Huntington, WV before 1920. Clarence is a book keeper for a wholesale grocery on the 1920 census. By 1930 he has become the proprietor of the grocery store. Clarence and Molly had 5 daughters.

- 1 F i Mary Elizabeth "Bill" Whittle - was born in 1913. She married Phillip Tracey Lambert and they had one son.
- 2 F ii Virginia "Gin" Alice Whittle - was born in 1916.
- 3 F iii Clarice Ruth Whittle - was born in 1918.
- 4 F iv Marjorie Louise Whittle - was born in 1919. She is said to have never married.
- 5 F v Hilda Katherine Whittle - was born in 1922. She lived in Bristol, VA and married a Shy.

Keith Whittle says that his brother Rye used to get dates for the girls when they made their annual visit to kinfolk in South Carolina.

13447. [Elizabeth "Lizzie" Ethel Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Minick\)](#) was born in 13 Oct 1887 in Batesburg, SC and died there 19 Jan 1977.

Aunt Lizzie married Mark Manchester Shealy He was born in 1889 and died in Dec 1948. This account of their family was published about 1980 by his daughter.

Mark Manchester Shealy Family

Submitted by Mrs. Marion Sadler

Mark Manchester Shealy, son of Walter K. Shealy and Addie Padgett Shealy married Elizabeth (Lizzie) Ethel Whittle, daughter of Minick Q. and Elizabeth (Lizzie) Etheredge Shelay, on December 25, 1912.



Their four children were reared at the family homeplace, Pine Hill Farm. It was on the Charleston highway just outside of Leesville. A business man, farmer and breeder of Hampshire hogs, Mr. Shealy served on the executive council of the Lexington County Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation committee. He promoted soil conservation setting an example by terracing and building drain ditches throughout the family farmland.

The family were supportive and very active members of the Leesville Wittenberg Lutheran church. Mr. Shealy was a church council member for years. He became a 32nd degree Mason and Shriner. Educated at Newberry College, as a young man he took on the duties of construction foreman for the Memphis Steel Co. building many water tanks throughout South Carolina. One of these was the water tank at the Leesville Oil Mill.

Later he established with his son in law, Marion Sadler, a hardware store in Batesburg. In this business he remained until his death in December 1949.

His wife was also a native of Saluda County; she survived him for a number of years. She was a graduate of Leesville College in the class of 1908 and taught school until her marriage.

Their children were:

1. Addie Elizabeth married Marion Francis Sadler of Holly Hill, S.C. Their three children: Anne married Don R. Opdycke of Salina, Kansas—two children—Gina Elizabeth and John Russell Opdycke. Judy married Charles Bardach of New York—son—Andrew, daughter, Lauren Sarah and Marion F. Sadler, Jr.
2. Mark Carlisle of Hartsville, S.C. married Odell

Ward of Graham, Texas—two children—Greta and Mark Shealy.

3. Walter Leon married Barbara Edwards of Anderson, S.C. Their three children: Walter Leon, Jr., who died young, Suzanne married Charles Sharpe—one son, Charles Sharpe, Jr and Nathan Edwards Shealy.

4. Mary Alma of Thomasville, Ga. married Erskine L. Mills of Newberry, S.C. Their three children: Robert, Douglas, and Carol Mills.

One of the brothers and one of the sisters reside in Leesville. Mrs. Sadler after graduation from Columbia College taught school in Cameron and later was on the faculty of the Batesburg schools. She recently retired after thirty-two years of teaching. During this period she has taken a prominent and active role in many phases of Wittenberg Lutheran church programs, especially the music. She served in the choir and pianist for various assemblies.

Mr. Sadler devoted much time to the work of the Lions Club and served as its president. He joined in 1946 and scored a perfect attendance record of thirty-three years. He was instrumental in founding the Fulmer Hardware Co. and The Batesburg Hardware Co. For 25 years until his death in 1979 he was salesman for Brown-Rogers-Dixon Co. of Columbia, S.C.

Leon Shealy received his chemical engineering degree from Clemson College. He and his wife live at Pine Hill Farm. His Army services stretched over five years including the World War II period. He has been in Process and Quality control with Solvay Process Co and with General Electric prior to his present work with Square D Co. of Columbia, S.C.

This Mark M. Shealy family trace their lineage back to immigrant John Shealy who arrived in 1752 and acquired land on Crim's Creek. His son, John Wintle Shealy changed his second name to Windle. He married Anna Mary Epting and settled on the Columbia-Augusta road in present Leesville. Their son, John Jacob Shealy married Christener Counts. One of their sons, John Ventle Shealy married Eva Margareta Sease. One of their offsprings, Mark W. Shealy married 1st. Missouri Fulmer and 2nd. Caroline Long Koon. Laura and Jane were daughters by the first wife and Preston, Waller K., and Alice were children of the second wife.

Walter K. married Addie Padgett and their son, Mark Manchester Shealy married Lizzie Whittle.

Courtesy of Emma Shealy - 2006

13448. [Otis Curran Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Minick\)](#) was born 7 Sep 1890 in Batesburg, SC and died in Seminole, Pinellas County, Florida 2 Apr 1954.

Otis followed his brother Claude to Florida about 1910. His occupation is listed as fruit broker. He traveled back and forth between Florida and South Carolina and sold fruit from portable stands. Keith Whittle says he used to set up shop at the farmers market on Assembly Street in Columbia.

He married Mary Murphy and they had one adopted son named Billy. Mary was born in 1899 and died in 1969. Otis is buried in the Seminole Cemetery along with his brother Claude and the family of Reason Whittle.

13473. [Luther Artimus "Bud" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, William Floyd\)](#) was born 28 Jan 1881 in Batesburg, SC and died in Grady County, Georgia.

Luther is found in Saluda County on the 1910 census under L.A. Whittle, living next door to his brother Ernest. He married Wilmer or Wilma (unknown) about 1903. Some time before 1920, Luther left SC and moved to Grady County, GA which borders the Florida panhandle.

The census takers consistently misspelled the names of his family members, so this list may not be accurate.

- 1 M i Luther Whittle, Jr. - born 17 Feb 1904 and died 9 Feb 1971. He married Josephine Davis, born 12 Aug 1907 and died 8 Dec 1992.
- 2 F ii Gladys Whittle - born in 1907.
- 3 M iii James F. Whittle - born 1910.
- 4 M iv Harvey A. Whittle - born 1913.
- 5 M v Virgil A. Whittle - born 1918.

6 F vi Elizabeth Whittle - born 1921.

13475. [Arthur Cromwell Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, William Floyd\)](#) was born 14 Mar 1884 in Batesburg, SC and died in Jefferson, Guilford County, NC.

Arthur married Mary Ethel Smith who bore him 4 children. On the 1930 census the family is found in Guilford County, NC. Arthur is a salesman of household tools.

- 1 M i Leland Smith Whittle - born in 1911.
- 2 F ii Evelyn M. Whittle - born in 1913.
- 3 M iii Arthur Cromwell Whittle, Jr. - born in 1917.
- 4 F iv Rachel A. Whittle - born in 1922.

13476. [Ernest Wilson Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, William Floyd\)](#) was born 6 Dec 1885 in Batesburg, SC, and died in Chappells, S.C on 26 Jun 1972.

Our thanks to Richard Whittle for information about his father, James Ernest Whittle. His grandfather, James Ernest and his new bride Ruby Barre are found on the 1910 census farming in Saluda County next door to his brother Luther, "Bud". Ruby was born 12 Nov 1887 and died 11 Jan 1968.

- 1 M i Everett Whittle
James Ernest Whittle - was born April 9, 1917 and died Nov. 4, 1956,
- 2 M ii in Greensboro, N.C. He married Clara Brackett, born Oct. 25, 1924,
died Feb. 14, 2003.

13478. [Allen Webster Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, William Floyd\)](#) was born 23 Jan 1890 in Batesburg, SC and died 27 Mar 1974 in Charleston, SC.

Webster is a farm laborer working with his father on the 1910 census. He must have decided that farm life was not to be his career, on the 1930 census he is a fireman in Charleston. According to the Eidson family history, Allen married Minnie Lee Eidson about 1911. Their children are:

- 1 F i Catherine R. Whittle - born about 1911.
- 2 F ii Dolores A. Whittle - born about 1914.
- 3 M iii John Eidson Whittle - born 20 Jul 1917.

134710. [William Floyd Whittle, Jr. \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, William Floyd\)](#) was born 16 Jan 1894 in Batesburg, SC. and probably died 26 Sep 1938 in Mitchell County, GA.

William moved from SC to GA with his father about 1915. He is found on the 1920 census in Pelham, GA with his wife Mabel (unknown) and their first son. It is interesting to note that there is a 3rd family of Whittle's in Pelham on the 1920 census, "Wihl Whittle" is likely a grandson of Kinchen Whittle. Wonder if they knew they were related? William has not been found on the 1930 census. There are records of the death of two William F. Whittle's in Georgia in 1934 and 1938. It is likely they are father and son.

- 1 M i William N. Whittle - born 1915.

13533. [James Rema Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., William Floyd, Milton A.\)](#) was born 12 Nov 1878 in

Madison County, FL and died 26 Oct 1936 in Salerno, Martin County, FL.

James is found in Palatka, Putnam County, FL on the 1900 census living in the household of Robert Stubbs. His occupation is fisherman. He married Mary V. (unknown), a SC girl, in 1904. On the 1910 census they are living in Brevard County. Mary says she has lost her first two children. In 1920, James and a 2nd wife named Martha are found in Palm Beach with their first daughter, Julia. Fishing must have worked well for James because he is still doing it in 1930. The children of James and Martha (unknown) from the 1930 census are:

- 1 F i Julia Martha Whittle - born in 1919.
- 2 F ii Virginia Whittle - born 24 Feb 1921. She married Niels Peter Metzger.
- 3 F iii Cordela Whittle - born in 1924.
- 4 F iv Annie L. Whittle - born in 1925.
- 5 M v Johnny Whittle - born in 1928.
- 6 M vi Samuel Ellison Whittle - born 27 Dec 1929.

13621. [William Capers Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wesley, Francis Coke\)](#) was born 22 May 1878 in Edgefield County, SC and died in Greenville, Hunt County, Texas 15 Jul 1971, age 93.

WC followed his father into the general merchandise business in Texas. On the 1900 census he is living in Hopkins County with his wife Maggie B. Taylor and their first born son. By 1910 they have 5 children and WC is farming in Rains County. Apparently the salesmanship in his blood got the best of him and he is a dealer in live stock by 1920. It is difficult to find WC after 1922. There is a social security death index for him which does match his birth month and year.

- 1 M i [Obie Earl Whittle](#) - born 5 Nov 1898, was in the US Army during WW I.

[Ernest B. Whittle](#) - born 20 Oct 1900 and died 20 Jan 1922

Emory City Cem south section (#9) row 8
January 20, 1922

A deep gloom settled over our little city Saturday afternoon when the word went out that Ernest Whittle was dead. He was stricken with that dread malady, meningitis, Friday night January 6, and death relieved him of his suffering at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, January 14th.

- 2 M ii Ernest was one of our most highly respected young business men, being just a few months past his 21st mile post, and his untimely death came as a shock to his many friends, Taylor and Whittle gent's furnishings and pressing parlor. Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. W.C. Hughes, assisted by Dr. M.T. Tucker, pastor of the Baptist church. The attendance at the funeral was probably the largest ever assembled in Emory. The church would not hold the vast assemblage that gathered to pay their last tribute to our young fellow-citizen and hundreds stood about the doors and in groups near the building until services were concluded. Pall bearers were selected from his school mates as follows: King Henslee, Bailey Clendenin, John T. Henry, Herman Settle, Paul Parkins, and John T. Reeves, Jr. The floral

offering was said by many to have been the handsomest and largest ever seen in Emory. He is survived by his young wife, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Whittle, 3 brothers, 2 sisters, and a number of other relatives, who have the sincere sympathy of the community.

- 3 M iii [Hubert Whittle](#) - born 1903 and died 6 Feb 1938 in Hunt County, TX.
[Jeptha Carl Whittle](#) - born 22 May 1905 and died 16 Jan 1938. Married
- 4 M iv Alice Loreita Brown (1906-1993). In 1948, Alice married Harold Willard Totman (1897-1974).
[Magalee Whittle](#) - 25 Sep 1908 - 30 Jun 2007 married John Preston
- 5 F v Taylor (1908-1983). Her birth records show she was born 25 Sep 1908. Her grave stone shows 1909.
- 6 F vi [Clara Elizabeth Whittle](#) - (1915-2005) married Felix Haywood Norton, DDS (1914-2000).

13623. [William M. Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wesley, Francis Coke\)](#) was born Nov 1882 in Edgefield County, SC and died sometime after 1931 probably in Dallas, TX.

Based on Coke Whittle's obituary, it seems that he named two of his sons William. On the 1910 census Will and his wife Lillie have one son named Claude. Lillie states that she bore 4 children, so it seems they lost three of them. Unlike the rest of the family, Will began his career in law enforcement. In 1910 he is a baliff and constable. In 1912 he was elected Sheriff of Rains County and served until 1918.

Not to be out done by the other salesmen in Will's family, our chief Texas Whittle researcher Glen Collier found the following statement in the Rains County Leader newspaper. "Everybody's doin' it, so Will Whittle says, that is, buying Chevrolets. In the past 2 weeks he has sold Chevrolet cars to the following..." By 1920 Will has remarried a women named Stella and lives in a boarding house or apartment in Dallas, occupation is listed as grocery helper. Will can be found in Dallas city directories through 1931 and on the 1930 census his occupation is recorded as investigator for a loan collection agency. No record has been found of any children from his marriage to Stella.

- 1 M i Claude F. Whittle - born 1905.

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17328. [Eldridge Jay Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Joseph, Ely, Ruben\)](#) was born 4 Mar 1898 in Callihan, Conecuh, AL and died 17 May 1960 in Milton, Santa Rosa County, FL.

There are enough reports on Ancestry.com to assume Eldridge married Edna Earle Bass, and they had 5 children.

- 1 F i Annette Elizabeth "Boots" Whittle
- 2 F ii Edwina Whittle
- 3 F iii Dorothy Murl "Peggy" Whittle
- 4 F iv Edna Joanne Whittle
- 5 M v J Francis Whittle - born 1930.

17329. [Thomas Jefferson Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Joseph, Ely, Ruben\)](#) was born 3 Apr 1900 in Callihan, Conecuh, AL and died 21 Sep 1972 in Milton, Santa Rosa County, FL.

Tom and his wife Charlie B. (unknown) are found on the 1930 census with 2 daughters.

- 1 F i Bettie J. Whittle - born 1927.
- 2 F ii Geraldine Whittle - born 1929.

181121. [Calvin Louis Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, Hartwell, Calvin M.\)](#) was born 2 Jul 1902 in Alameda County, CA and died 17 Aug 1998 in Diablo, Contra Costa County, CA.

Calvin's father succeeded in getting his son appointed to West Point in 1920.

WHITTLE, Calvin L. — Col. U.S. Army Retired, age 96, August 17, 1998. Husband of late Iris, wife of 56 years. Resident of San Francisco for 37 and Walnut Creek for the past 9 years. Calvin, from Benecia CA was appointed to the U.S. Military Academy in 1921. Class of 1927, he was the oldest living graduate in No California and the 23rd oldest living graduate of West Point. Assigned to the Presidio Infantry, 1927. From 1921-1931 he was in the Philippines and served with Gen. Douglas Mac Arthur and then Major Dwight Eisenhower. From 1931-35 he served at Ft. Ontario, N.Y. and Ft. Benning, GA. 1935-1942, Port of Embarkation, New Orleans, LA. Quartermaster Corps with Transportation duties, regarding planning, delivery of equipment for large scale maneuvers, freight, motor rail water, air and troops (N.Y., Chicago.) June 1943 Chief of Transportation of the Fourth Zone, promoted to Colonel. 1944 he was assigned to HQ General Omar Bradley, 12th Army as Chief, Special Transportation Staff. After WWII he assigned Director, German Railways, U.S. Zone to rebuild the railroad system. 1947, Chief of Transportation 2nd Army Ft. Meade MD, and National War College, Chairman of the Board of NDTA, Baltimore, MD. 1950-52 1st Corps Hdqrs. in Korea. 1952-57 Chief of Transportation 6th Army, Presidio of San Francisco, retired 1957. Calvin received many Awards and Decorations. U.S. Decoration/Awards: Legion of Merit Commendation, Pre-Pearl Harbor, American Defense, Victory Medal, Four Bronze Star Medals, United Nations Award, Foreign Decorations: French Legion of Honor and Croix de Guerre two palms presented by Francois DeGaulle; Ducal de Corentin de Chene Presented by the Duchess of Luxembourg, Croix de Guerre, Luxembourg; Order of Leopold, Belgium; Croix de Guerre, Belgium; Presidential Unit Citation, Korea. Member of West Point Society, many Traffic Clubs, and Shipping Advisory Boards. He is survived by his daughters, June W. Harlow of Diablo, CA and Iris Peabody of Silver Spring, MD; sister, Marie Whittle, Oakland, CA; grandchildren, Laura Lazzareschi, Tahoe Vista CA, Al Vinciette, Hillsborough, CA, Linda Sehidopou, Pacific Palisades, CA Mark, Bruce, and Hillary Peabody of Silver Spring, MD; and nine great grandchildren. Private Memorial will be held Presidio National Cemetery, San Francisco, Sep. 15, 1998 11:00AM. Contributions may be made to West Point Fund, USMA West Point, NY 10996 or Heart Assoc.

[Obituary of Calvin L. Whittle 13 Oct 1998 *The San Francisco Examiner*](https://www.newspapers.com/clip/46646176/Obituary%20of%20Calvin%20L.%20Whittle%2013%20Oct%201998%20The%20San%20Francisco%20Examiner)
<https://www.newspapers.com/clip/46646176/>

Oaklander Gets Important Post

Lieut. Col. Calvin L. Whittle, a native of Oakland, has become the new chief of the Fourth Zone Transportation office in Atlanta, Ga., according to Headquarters of the Fourth Service Command.

Colonel Whittle, who was transferred to Atlanta from New Orleans in July, succeeds Colonel Henry L. Green, retired.

A regular Army man and graduate of West Point, in 1927, Colonel Whittle has served with the Infantry in this country and on foreign duty in the Philippine Islands.

He transferred to the Quartermaster Corps in 1937, and served with that unit until the activities of the Transportation Corps.

In 1939 he was assigned to duty with the Transportation Division of the Quartermaster General's office in Washington, D.C.

The next year he became direct representative of the Quartermaster General on transportation matters, with duty at the Western Military Bureau, Chicago, Illinois.

He became Port Transportation officer in New Orleans in August, 1941, and served there until July, 1943, when he was assigned to the Fourth Zone Transportation office in Atlanta, which he now heads.

[12 Sep 1943, *Sun Oakland Tribune*](https://www.newspapers.com/clip/109371473/12%20Sep%201943,%20Sun%20Oakland%20Tribune)
<https://www.newspapers.com/clip/109371473/>

"The army of America fought for liberty and justice...which we all share in common for the freedom of mankind."

With these words Prince Felix of Luxembourg on behalf of the grand duchess presented the Ordre Nationale de la Chene to Colonel Calvin L. Whittle, of Oakland, Cal., nephew of Mrs. H. E. Whittle, and cousin of C. B. and L. H. Whittle, all of Aiken.

The special ceremony was held at Wiesbaden, Germany, where Colonel Whittle and other Twelfth Army group officers received the award.

"I need not tell you, the prince said, that these medals cannot fully commemorate the memory of the deed which will live forever in our hearts. On behalf of the grand duchess of Luxembourg, I thank you for the liberation of our country."

Colonel Whittle is chief of the transportation section of the Twelfth army group. Previously he served as assistant to the chief of transportation in Washington, D. C. He graduated from West Point in the class of 1929.

H. D. Wheat of Langley has been made deputy sheriff, succeeding Ernest Patterson, according to Sheriff Price Fallaw. Mr. Patterson has accepted a position with the Pierce-Young-Angel company of Augusta.

[11 Aug 1945, *Sat Augusta Chronicle*](https://www.genealogybank.com/nbshare/AC0116011100433803674166292931311%20Aug%201945,%20Sat%20Augusta%20Chronicle)
[https://www.genealogybank.com/nbshare/AC01160111004338036741662929313](https://www.genealogybank.com/nbshare/AC0116011100433803674166292931311%20Aug%201945,%20Sat%20Augusta%20Chronicle)

The appointment of Col. Calvin L. Whittle, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Whittle, 5431 Locksley Avenue, as chief of the railroads' branch of the transport division of Military Government in Berlin, was announced today. A West Point Graduate, Colonel Whittle was Port Operations Officer at the New Orleans Port of Embarkation before his overseas assignment.

[14 Sep 1946, *Sat Oakland Tribune*](https://www.newspapers.com/clip/109369933/14%20Sep%201946,%20Sat%20Oakland%20Tribune)
<https://www.newspapers.com/clip/109369933/>

Calvin married Iris Nelson (1905-1983). They had 2 girls Iris Rose Marie Whittle (b.1929) and June M. Whittle (b. 1934). There is also a record of his 2nd marriage at age 83 to Maria V. Villasantew (Walker).

18132. [James Oscar Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, Hartwell, Amos\)](#) was born 12 Apr 1878 and died 14 Feb 1931 in Batesburg, SC.

James Oscar was a farmer who lived in Ward, SC. He married Clara (unknown).The children of their marriage are:

- 1 F i Marrilla Whittle - born 1901.
- 2 F ii Beatrice Whittle - born 1903.
- 3 F iii Evie Lou Whittle - born 1904 and died 1989.
- 4 F iv Lillie M. Whittle - born 1906.
- 5 M v Curtis Whittle - born 1908.

18411. [Jesse Clifton Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, John W, Allison\)](#) was born Sep 1876 in Ward Township, Edgefield County, SC and died 25 Jun 1949.

Jesse and his wife Francis Mable Salters appear on the 1910 census with 3 children. Francis apparently died before the 1930 census, as Jesse is married to the former Bertha Day Fulmer. Three Fulmer children are available to help them on their farm. Ruby, J.C. and Mary are Bertha's children by Jesse. A.W.'s obituary confirms his mother as Francis Salters. Bertha died in 1984.

- 1 M i Clarence Wilbur Whittle - born 30 May 1901.
- 2 M ii Otis Clifton Whittle - born in 1907.
- 3 F iii Ethel Mae Whittle - born in 1909 and died in 1963. She married a McGee.
- 4 F iv Leveta Myra Whittle - born in 1914. She married a Eckert.
- 5 F v Edith Wilson Whittle - born in 1919. She married a Brown.
- 6 M vi George Cleveland Whittle - born in 1921 and died in 1961.
- 7 M vii Allison Wesley (A.W.) Whittle - born in 1923 and died 25 May 2007.
- 8 F viii Ruby Ellamae Whittle - born in 1926.
- 9 M ix Jesse Clifton (J.C.) Whittle - born in 1928.
- 10 F x Mary Helen Whittle - married a Sills.

18412. [John Wesley Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, John W, Allison\)](#) was born 12 Feb 1878 in Ward Township, Edgefield County and died 10 May 1964 in Blythe, GA.

On the 1920 census John is living with his brother Moses. Our thanks to Katrina G. Ray for providing us with information about John and his family:

"And here's another interesting twist to the story. John's first wife was Levita Baston, sister of Leona Baston who married Moses Whittle. Levita died shortly after their daughter, Lucille was born. By 1930, John married Leona's half-sister, Ruth C. Kilpatrick. Ruth and John had a daughter together, named Cora Dell."



Courtesy of Katrina G. Ray - July, 2008

- 1 F i Lucille Whittle - Married J. T. Hancock.
- 2 F ii Cora Dell Whittle - Apparently never married.

18415. [Moses Culbreath Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, John W., Allison\)](#) was born 14 Oct 1888 in Ward Township, Edgefield County and died 20 Sep 1960 in Keysville, Burke County, GA.

Moses is a farm laborer living with his older brother Jesse in 1910. He married a Georgia lady named Leona B. Killpotree and moved to Grovetown, Columbia County, GA before 1920. Our thanks to Katrina G. Ray for providing us with information about his family:

"Leona B. Killpotree is actually Leona Baston. She was the daughter of Cora Bruckner and Will Baston. Cora and Will had another daughter named Levita Baston, who married Mose's brother, John W. Whittle, and they had a daughter named Lucille, but by 1920, Levita Baston was dead, and John W. Whittle was living in the household of his brother, Moses.

Cora Bruckner Baston married Henry Kilpatrick after her first husband Will Baston died, and lived in the household of her daughter, Leona, and son-in-law, Moses, with another daughter from her second marriage, Ruth C. Kilpatrick in 1920. I can understand everyone's confusion here, with the second marriage of Leona's mother, having a half-sister with a different last name, and the misspelling of Kilpatrick, but Leona's maiden name was actually Baston.

I am kin to the Whittles through Cora Bruckner, who was my Gr.Gr.Gr. Aunt."



Courtesy of Katrina G. Ray - July, 2008

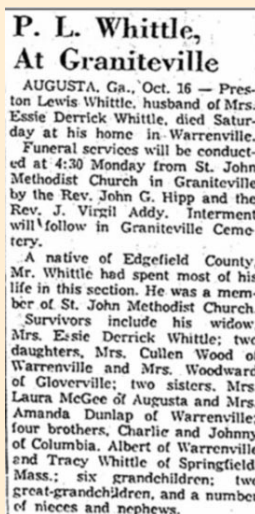
Three children have been found from census data and are verified by his obituary.

- 1 F i Lois E. Whittle - born 1917. She married Ralph Douglas Gay. Lois died 18 Sep 1995 in Augusta, GA.
- 2 M ii John C. Whittle - born 1919.
- 3 F iii C. Pauline Whittle - born in 1922. She married Johnnie Williams.

18421. [Preston Lewis "Press" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, John W., Floyd\)](#) was born 20 Jan 1885 in Saluda County and died 16 Oct 1955 in Aiken County, SC.

Preston married Essie Derrick. He is selling automobiles on the 1930 census and Essie is working at the cotton mill.

- 1 F i Etta Whittle - born in 1913.
- 2 F ii Elmira Whittle - born in 1921.



Courtesy of Brenda Laney - 14 Sep 2014

18423. [Jacob "Jake" Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, John W., Floyd\)](#) was born 29 Apr 1890 in Saluda County.

Jake andd Annie (unknown) are raising their children and both are working in a cotton mill in 1930.

- 1 F i Lola M. Whittle - born 1912. She married a Pennsylvania man named George W. Chesney and they are living with Jake and Annie in 1930.
- 2 F ii Arretta Whittle - born in 1918.
- 3 M iii Edward Whittle - born 1920.
- 4 F iv Louise Whittle - born in 1925.

18428. [John Wesley Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, John W., Floyd\)](#) was born in 1902 in Saluda County and died there in May 1962.

John Wesley is found on the 1930 census at Ft. Screvan, Chatham, GA. He was a career US Army veteran. John married Angelina Alonzo and they had one daughter. Both John and Angelina are buried at Shiloh Methodist Church cemetery, Saluda, SC.

- 1 F i Linda Ann Whittle - married a Long.

18429. [James Albert Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, John W., Floyd\)](#) was born in 1907 and died in Aiken County, SC in 1979.

James married Ola Mae Barton. Their children are:

- 1 M i Billy Whittle
- 2 M ii Bobby Whittle
- 3 F iii Helen Whittle - married a McGee.
- 4 F iv Oni Whittle - married a Saltz.

184210. [Floyd Tracy Whittle, Sr. \(Burris, James Sr., John, John W., Floyd\)](#) was born 30 Dec 1909 and died 15 Jun 1994 in Augusta, GA.

Our thanks to Mark Anthony Whittle for providing this information about his grandfather. "Floyd married Hassie Elizabeth Rodgers of Saluda County in April 1929. He worked in cotton mills, welder in shipyards, and carpenter in commercial construction."



Courtesy of Mark Anthony Whittle - June 2008

- 1 F i Doris Elizabeth Whittle - born in Aiken, SC February 2, 1930, died in Saluda County December 24, 2004. She married Melvin Turner and they have 2 children. Buried in Shiloh Methodist Church cemetery, Saluda, SC.
- 2 M ii Floyd Tracy "Jack" Whittle, Jr - born in Aiken, SC August 7, 1931, died in Saluda County June 27, 2007. Buried in Shiloh Methodist Church cemetery, Saluda, SC.
- 3 M iii Roland Wesley Whittle - born in Aiken, SC March 2, 1938, died in Saluda County January 29, 2000. Buried in Zoar Methodist Church cemetery, Saluda, SC.
- 4 M iv Thomas Edward Whittle - born August 12, 1942, lives in Honea Path, SC.

18511. [James Benjamin Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John and Elijah, William Manchester, Levi Burdette\)](#) was born 26 Dec 1876 in Batesburg, SC and died 10 Nov 1935.

Our thanks to Brenda Laney for providing this account of James Benjamin Whittle.

"James had a photography studio over Mr. Harris' drugstore in Batesburg from about 1901 until 1907 or 1908. His studio was mentioned in the book, "Partners With The Sun, South Carolina Photographers 1840-1940" by Harvey S Teal. Then he worked for the Post Office as a mail carrier."



Courtesy of Brenda Laney - April, 2007

"He married first, Claudia Rikard, born 3 Apr 1887, daughter of John and Roseanna Rikard. Claudia died 6 Apr 1924 and is buried Batesburg Cemetery, Batesburg, SC. They had 3 children."

James Woodrow Whittle - born about 1920. He lived in St. Petersburg,

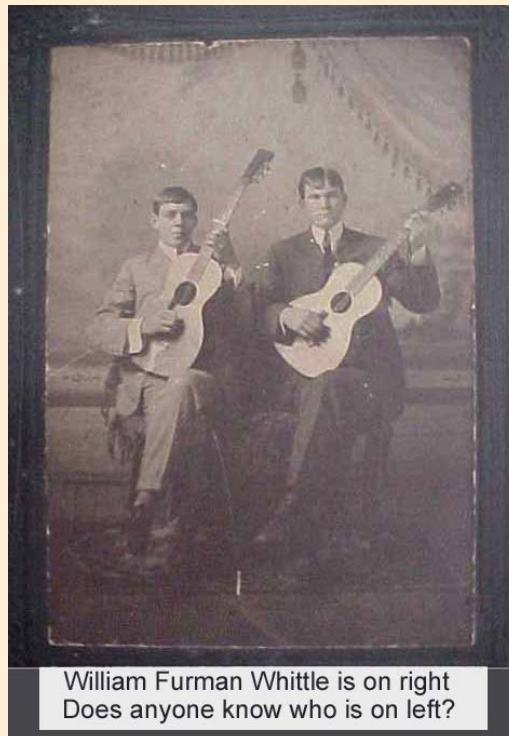
- 1 M i Florida in 1954.
- 2 F ii Ruby Whittle - born 11 May 1920 and died May 1987. She married a Mitchell and lived in Augusta, GA.
- 3 M iii David L Whittle - born 21 Aug 1923 and lived in Washington, DC in 1954.

"James married second, Sara Elizabeth Goff Adams. According to a relative (who remembers James, Claudia & Elizabeth), James asked Elizabeth to come and help with the children, they fell in love and got married. Elizabeth was born 23 Oct 1876 and died 6 Aug 1954. She is buried Batesburg Cemetery, SC. There were no known children from either of Elizabeth's marriages."

18515. [William Furman Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John and Elijah, William Manchester, Levi Burdette\)](#) was born 31 Jul 1886 in Batesburg, SC and died 31 Aug 1982 in Columbia, SC.

Our thanks to Brenda Laney for providing this account of William Furman Whittle.

"William Furman Whittle retired from Richland Mills in Columbia, SC. He was a charter member and lifetime deacon of South Beltline Baptist Church. Broadway Baptist Church, where he attended most of his life, was sold to the University of South Carolina and the congregation moved and became South Beltline Baptist. W F Whittle went by "Furman" and was called "Uncle Bub" by his siblings and their families. He was an "inventor" at home and whenever the church needed something, he always seemed to have it. He used a commercial fan to cool the house in a hallway upstairs at the house they lived in. Although the family teased him about it, it really worked well. He always told us that he had never been sick in his life except for having the flu in 1932. He died in 1982 at the age of 96. Furman and Ida had been married 68 years when Ida died in 1978. Three of his four sons served in World War II. All saw combat and all returned home safely. Furman never learned to drive and never had a driver's license but he did buy a car one time. We asked if he was going to learn to drive. He told us no but when he asked someone to take him somewhere he would have a car for them to drive."



William Furman Whittle is on right
Does anyone know who is on left?

Courtesy of Brenda Laney

William Furman Whittle married Ida Catherine Day, born 5 Jan 1891, daughter of James Day and Mary Rish. She died 6 Nov 06 1978 and is buried at Greenlawn Memorial Park, Columbia, SC with her husband. William and Ida were married on 2 Jan 1910.



Courtesy of James Benjamin Whittle - Whittle Photography, Batesburg, SC

The children of William Furman Whittle and Ida Catherine Day are:

- 1 M i Lee Odis Whittle - born 25 Mar 1911.
- 2 M ii William Thurman Whittle - born 8 Oct 1913.
- 3 F iii Vinira Oclee Whittle - born 28 Mar 1912, died 25 Jul 1912.
- 4 M iv James Edward Whittle - born 21 Aug 1916.
- 5 F v Frances Ruth Whittle - born 27 Jan 1919 and died 14 Oct 1969. She married Thomas Eugene Strickland.
- 6 F vi Mary Vedilia Whittle - born 18 Apr 1922. She married (1) Bye Moore (2) Don Grenade.
- 7 M vii Lee Roy Whittle - born 30 Oct 1924, died 13 May 1925.
- 8 M viii Calvin Whittle - born 3 May 1927.

18611. [Horace Manchester Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., John, Meady, Luther\)](#) was born 22 Jul 1886 in Aiken, SC and died in Graniteville, SC in 1920.

Based on information posted by his granddaughter on Ancestry.com, Horace married Minnie Lee Booth. Horace and Minnie are on the 1910 census. Minnie told the census taker that she lost her first child. Neither Horace or Minnie are found in 1920, the parents of the granddaughter are presently unknown.

23571. [Charles Bert Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Ira, James Wesley, Charles Brown\)](#) was born 22 Oct 1910 in Columbia, SC and died 18 Mar 1981.

Charley spent most of his life in the finance department of the US army. He married Reba Quattlebaum but no children are listed in his obituary.

CHARLES B. WHITTLE

NEWBERRY — Charles Bert Whittle, 70, a retired Army colonel, died Wednesday at his home.

Born in Columbia, he was a son of the late Charles Brown and Bessie Castle Whittle.

Mr. Whittle was a veteran of World War II and church treasurer of St. Luke's Episcopal Church.

Surviving is his widow, Mrs. Reba Quattlebaum Whittle.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, with burial in Newberry Memorial Gardens with full military honors.

The family suggests that those who wish may make memorials to St. Luke's Episcopal Church.

Whitaker Funeral Home is in charge.

Courtesy of Brenda Laney - 2015

23572. [Harold Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Ira, James Wesley, Charles Brown\)](#) was born 23 Mar 1913 in Columbia,SC and died after 1947.

Harold wrote his own biography. He was in the USMC and was almost everywhere. He wasn't always a "good boy" but he had a mission.

SOLDIER OF FORTUNE CARRIES RABBIT FOOT

Harold Whittle, Columbia, Headed for China, Where He Hopes to See Action With Chinese Nationals. Dedicates Life to Pursuit of Revolutions—His Charm Has Worked Perfectly.

Harold Whittle, 20-year-old Columbian, is a "soldier of fortune" who carries a rabbit foot for luck, carries it to all parts of the world. He is now headed for China.

Whittle expects his rabbit foot to stand him in good stead in China, because there he hopes to see fighting with the Chinese national army.

Fighting is nothing new to young Whittle. His mother, Mrs. S. C. Younginer, 226 Park street, says he was a "greater fighter" even as a child. And since he was a small kid he has wanted to roam. "He must get it from an uncle who was in the army," Mrs. Younginer says, "because I never even want to leave Columbia."

Regardless of how it came about, young Whittle left Columbia four years ago but before he left he finished the Edisto academy high school. He took the marine placards seriously and joined the service. After two years he was free to roam anywhere and that is just what he has done.

From Manila, the Philippine Islands, Whittle has written The State: "Arrived here from San Francisco on my way to China. I accepted a commission in the Chinese army and will reach Shanghai four days from now.

I hope to see some action there and I think I will like it very much. I was in Nicaragua a short while ago but everything seemed to be quiet there and I was in Cuba also but I am afraid I left too soon as I see in the paper today that they were starting a lot of trouble.

"I think I will spend my life looking for revolutions," his letter continued.

"Although I have been in several different countries and hundreds of cities, I don't believe I like any as well as Columbia.

"I like adventure and roughing it, and believe me, I have got plenty of it in the last several weeks."

Whittle left Columbia the last time in March when he went to California and embarked. He had been at home only a few months.

"I may not get back this time," Whittle said in his letter, "but I have been through some tough ones before and I still have my rabbit foot."

He expressed the hope that some day he would be able to write a book on his adventures.

"Good luck to the Capital City and may the sun forever shine for the people in it," he wrote in farewell.

Courtesy of Brenda Laney - 2015

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Sixth Generation

7141. [Philemon "Phil" Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Stancil, John Wesley\)](#) was born 1 Apr 1875 at Lookout Mountain, DeKalb County, AL and died 17 Aug 1966 in Fort Payne, AL.

Phil married Lula Lee Hulgán 31 Oct 1897. She was born 2 Apr 1875; died 25 Feb 1953. Their children are:

- 1 F i Georgia Gertrude Whittle - born 2 May 1900 and died 1 Apr 1982.
Georgia married John Thomas Parker on 26 Dec 1918.
- 2 F ii Willie Ann Whittle - born 15 Dec 1901 and died 12 Feb 1902.
- 3 F iii Cornelia "Nealie" Whittle - born 29 Dec 1902 and died 26 Nov 1947.
She married Ellis Talmadge Hudgins.
- 4 F iv Laura Mae Whittle - born 24 Mar 1905 and died 27 Dec 1992.
- 5 M v Willie Ernest Whittle - born 1 Aug 1908 and died 29 Aug 1975.
- 6 M vi Johnnie Washington Whittle - born 20 May 1911 and died 25 May 1976.
- 7 F vii Alice Jane Whittle - born 6 Jan 1913 and died 7 Dec 1992.

7322. [Mark Berry Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark Berry, Ambrose C.\)](#) was born 15 Nov 1868 died 21 Mar 1949 in Orangeburg County, SC.

Mark was first married to Rosena Williamson. They had Eugene and Nathan. The other children were by his second marriage to Lillie Kay Odom. Most of his children all lived in Blackville.

- + 73221 M i [Eugene Stanmore Whittle](#)
- 73222 M ii Nathan Burton Whittle - born 12 Aug 1894 and died 21 Aug 1955.
Married Mattie Ruth Knotts.
- 73223 F iii Gulah Whittle - born 9 Oct 1898 and died 10 Oct 1935 from
Pneumonia. Married Byron Percival Morris.
- 73224 M iv William Lesley Whittle - born 11 Jan 1900 and died 18 Aug 1978.
Married Izetta Bell Bright.
- 73225 M v Wilbur Ernest Whittle - born 29 Oct 1906 and died 13 May 1972.
Married Leila Still.
- + 73226 M vi [Mark Briggs Whittle](#)
- 73227 F vii Georgia Velma Whittle - born 4 Apr 1913 and died 20 May 1999.
Married Nathaniel H. Martin.
- 73228 F viii Sarah Jane Whittle - born in 1915 and died in 1999.

- 73229 M ix Fred O'Neil Whittle - born 18 Aug 1917 and died 19 Jul 1999.
Married Victoria Margie Tindal.
- 732210 M x B. Clarence Whittle - born 27 Mar 1920 and died 3 Oct 2007.
Married Emma Cook. No children have been found.

7332. [William H. Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark Berry, Joseph M.\)](#) was born in Jefferson County, Arkansas in 1886.

On the 1920 and 1930 census, William and his wife Cora Belle Hon (not proven) are living in Coal Hill, Johnson County, AK. William does not list any occupation on either census. Some researchers believe this William H. is the son of Albert Galitin Whittle from Sevier County, TN.

1 M i William H. Whittle, Jr. - born 23 Sep 1911, died 10 Aug 1991.

7341. [Arthur Malachi "Mike" Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark B., Benjamin P.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 12 Sep 1875 and died in Augusta, GA, 26 Mar 1954.

Mike is still living at home in Augusta on the 1900 census, occupation cotton mill weaver. His whereabouts in 1910 can not be found. On the 1920 census Mike is a clerk in a grocery store in Augusta. According to information posted on Ancestry.com, he married Laura Cromer. Only one child has been documented from US Census data.

1 F i Nannie Lee Whittle- born in 1898.

7342. [Mark Gary Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark B., Benjamin P.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 17 Aug 1879 and died in Augusta, GA, 22 Mar 1952.

Mark is still living at home in Augusta on the 1900 census. He and his dad are listed as street car motorman. In 1907 he married Mary R. Woodward and he has become a deputy sheriff for Richmond County. This was to be Mark's lifetime career.



Courtesy Calvin M. McClung Collection, Knox County Public Library, Knoxville, TN.

M. Gary was interested in Whittle family genealogy and provided considerable information to W.O. Whittle in 1945. See [Ambrose Whittle](#). The 1920 census seems to indicate that he was living at the Richmond County Jail, where the census taker listed all of the inmates as part of his family! Fortunately we find no Whittle's on the list. No record has been found of any children from his

marriage to Mary.

7343. [Benjamin Clint Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark B., Benjamin P.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 25 Feb 1881 and died in Augusta, GA, 23 Jan 1955.

Ben is living in Dodge County, GA for the 1910 census, his occupation is district superintendant at a cotton mill. He married Essie Howard and she bore him 10 children before 1930. Although the family can be found consistently on the US Census, there appears to be reliable information published by Webb Bays Blackman, Jr. on Ancestry.com.

- 1 M i Walter Clint Whittle - born in 1901.
- 2 F ii Annie Beatrice Whittle - born 19 Dec 1905 and died 14 Sep 1992.
- 3 F iii Nina Whittle - born in 1909.
- 4 M iv Benjamin Howard Whittle - born in 1911.
- 5 M v Gary Woodrow Whittle - born in 1912.
- 6 M vi Albert Robert Whittle - born in 1914.
- 7 F vii Marjorie Lucile Whittle - born in 1917.
- 8 M viii James Hezekiah Whittle - born 26 Dec 1918 and died 22 Jul 1926.
- 9 F ix Dorothy Louise Whittle - born in 1921.
- 10 F x Lillian Whittle - born in 1924.

7345. [James Hezekiah "Hez" Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark B., Benjamin P.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County Feb 1888 and died in Augusta, GA, 20 Nov 1948.

Hez is still living with his parents and working at the cotton mill on the 1910 census. There is an arrow drawn on the census sheet that indicates he is married to Susie Lee (unknown) and they have a 4 year old daughter named Margaret. By 1920, Hez has changed occupations and is listed as an electrician. Susie died before the 1930 census, Hez and his daughter Dorothy are living alone and he says he is a widower.

- 1 F i Lillian Margaret Whittle - born in 1907.
- 2 F ii Dorothy J. Whittle - born in 1912.

7346. [Walter Killian "Kid" Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark B., Benjamin P.\)](#) was born in Edgefield County 14 Feb 1892 and died in Augusta, GA, 3 Apr 1966.

Kid shows up on the 1920 census working as a plumber in Columbus, GA.. By 1930, however, he is back in Augusta working as a plumbing inspector and raising a family. From information posted on Ancestry.com, he married Margaret Thelma O'Neil and may have had two daughters.

- 1 F i Margaret Ann Whittle - born 12 Aug 1928.

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128462. [William Green Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., Willis, Willis Jr, Green, Willis A\)](#) was born 17 May 1917 and died 1 Jan 1982.

William was an employee of Joe Taylor Saw Mill and Farm and then Lexington County when he retired or died. He married Inese Craps and they had the following children:

- 1 F i Doris Whittle - She married Jerry Resinger.
- 2 F ii Patsy Whittle - She married Richard Lane.
- 3 F iii Linda "Runt" Whittle - She married Robert Swygert.
- 4 M iv Cecil W. Whittle - Was born 27 Dec 1940 and died 28 Dec 2011 He married Sandra Elaine Shealy.
- 5 M v J. D. Whittle
- 6 M vi Donald "Butch" Whittle

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132551. [Robert Clayton Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Reason, James Clayton, Reason Alexander\)](#) was born 16 Apr 1907 in Seminole, Pinellas County, FL and died in WW II, Sep 1942.

Robert married Grace Gainey 16 Sep 1930.

1 M i Robert Clayton Whittle, Jr. - born 9 Apr 1930 in Anona, Florida. He married Carolyn Ann Barlow, born 2 Jan 1937. They have 5 children: Robert Clayton Whittle, III, Rodney Ervin Whittle, Sherry Ann Whittle, John Robin Whittle, Lance Myron Whittle.

2 M ii James Raymond Whittle - born 24 Oct 1932. He married Janice H. Lawhon and they have 6 children: Katherine Helen Whittle, Cathleen Ruby Whittle, Corene Ann Whittle, James Raymond Whittle, Jr., Joseph Reason Whittle, Eugene Richard Whittle.

132559. [Mark Brown Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Reason, James Clayton, Reason Alexander\)](#) was born in Seminole, Pinellas County, FL in 1928 and died there in 1983.

Mark married June A. Ellis in 1950. They had 2 children:

+ 1325591 M Mark Elliott Whittle - born 11 Feb 1951.

+ 1325592 M Robert Clayton Whittle - born in 1952 and died in 2000.



Courtesy of Mark Elliott Whittle, son of Mark Brown Whittle - 14 Apr 2012

This picture of Mark, June, Mark Elliott and Robert Clayton and was taken in 1953. The oldest boy is Roger C. Cannon, first child of June Ellis born in 1948.

Robert Whittle, son of Robert Clayton, provided the following information about June Ellis and Mark Brown Whittle on 24 Mar 2014:

"The reason we weren't able to know my grandfather or any other Whittles when my grandmother, June Whittle, who was next married to Clyde Cannon of her 5 husbands left my grand father Mark Whittle very ruthlessly and was talked about for years. She changed my dad and Mark's name to Cannon, had them adopted and they never saw their father again, leaving us not knowing any of the family. As you know my father passed now almost 15 years ago.

Then years later My uncle Mark E. Cannon, my father Robert Clayton Cannon, Thomas Cannon and myself Robert Roy Cannon all changed our names back in 2/15/1996. We went in front of a judge and got our names changed from Cannon which is what I was born with."

134421. [Thomas Edgar Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Minick, Joseph Edgar\)](#) was born 29 Dec 1905 in Altus, Jackson County, Oklahoma Territory and died 4 Apr 1968 in Oklahoma City, OK. He is buried along with his father and brother at Memorial Park Cemetery in OKC.

Edgar ran the Good Samaritan Life Association in Oklahoma City after his father died. His brother J. Claude also worked there prior to WW II.

Edgar married Virginia Leah Shaw, born 30 Aug 1907 in Altus, Oklahoma Territory and died 23 Jul 2001 in Bradenton, Manatee County, FL. Edgar and Virginia had 2 daughters:

- 1 F i Nancy Whittle. She married Jefferson Myres Guilford, born 1 Jul 1932, died 3 Oct 1998.
- 2 F ii Ann Whittle. Ann first married a Johnson and then a Card.

Edgar married Alice Reed, born 3 Jul 1918 in Steelton, Dauphin County, PA. Alice died 26 Dec 2010 in Oklahoma City, OK. They did not have any children and she was not married before Edgar.

134422. [J. Claude Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Minick, Joseph Edgar\)](#) was born 15 Sep 1915 in Altus, Oklahoma and died 26 Oct 1994 in Oklahoma City, OK.

J. Claude was required to have a middle initial when he was drafted for WW II. He decided to just add the initial "J". Later his son would be named Joe Claude and his grandson Jay Claude in his honor.

Claude was in the general insurance business throughout his career after WW II. He owned insurance agencies in Oklahoma City and St. Petersburg, Florida before returning to Oklahoma in 1965.

Claude married Dorothy Dale Taylor. She was the daughter of Willard J Taylor and Minnie Cooper of Shawnee, OK. Dorothy was born 26 Oct 1915 and died 18 Jan 1975. She is buried in the family plot at Memorial Park Cemetery in Oklahoma City, OK.

- 1 M i Joe Claude Whittle - born 6 Sep 1945.
- 2 F ii Sally Marie Whittle - born 1950.

Claude married Marguerite Bell Fain after Dorothy died. She was a best friend of Dorothy Whittle. Marguerite was born 17 Sep 1917 in Texas and died 25 May 2003 in Las Vegas, NV. Marguerite had 2 children while she was married to Jim Fain. She did not have any children by J. Claude Whittle.

134451. [Curtis Columbus "Jake" Whittle Jr. \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Minick, Curtis Columbus\)](#) was born 19 Feb 1906 in Williston, Aiken County, SC and died there 26 Nov 1969.

Jake married Vida Harrison on 13 Mar 1938. Vida was born 22 Jan 1911 and died 16 Jul 1967. Our thanks to Mary Whittle Chalker for her remembrances about her father.

"I was in my early-20s when my parents died and I've missed them sorely forever but, interestingly, now that I'm almost old, not having them stings more than ever. At age 61, I would give absolutely anything to hold Mama's hand and sit on Daddy's lap just one more time. FYI, Daddy was a real character and well-loved by everyone who knew him. He smoked unfiltered Camels and Chesterfields and drank heavily (usually Seagram's 7) and cursed good-naturedly (called friends SOB). And, with all that, he was the very best husband, father, friend, provider - indeed, man - ever. The entire town of Williston closed down for Daddy's funeral."

134456. [Lauriston Keith Whittle \(Burris, James Sr., James Jr., Wilson, Minick, Curtis Columbus\)](#) was born 7 Aug 1921 in Williston, Aiken County, SC and died 4 Nov 2011 in Columbia, SC.

"Cudin" Keith was a 1948 graduate of the University of South Carolina School of Law, and a member of the American and South Carolina Bar Associations. He was founder and owner of Whittle Real Estate and Insurance in Williston. He practiced law there from 1951 to 1991 and continued as a real estate broker until retirement in 2003. He moved to Columbia in 2004 with his wife Anne Baker Black Whittle.

A U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, he was well known and respected for his leadership and civic service, especially in the Barnwell County area. He was a member and former Adjutant and Commander of the American Legion, a member of the Jaycees and first president and charter member of the Williston Lions Club. In addition, he was first president of the Blue Devils Booster Club formed to advance local athletics and first president of the Williston Progressive Association designed to attract industry to the area. He was named Businessman of the Year by the Barnwell County Chamber of Commerce in 1986.

This letter from his niece Mary Whittle Chalker to Keith's daughter Susan when his death was imminent, was read at Keith's funeral:

"Oh, Susan, this is something we all anticipated, but it still stings something fierce when we know for sure that the end is near. Of all people, Uncle Keith would be ready to take on the next chapter because a better, more loving and gentle mortal has never walked the face of this earth. Uncle Keith is one of the very few men who can claim a million friends and no enemies. Your daddy, my uncle, definitely is unique, and I am so very proud, so fortunate, to have been honored with a seat at his table so many times over so many years. By his actions, even more than by his words, your daddy has taught all of us forgiveness, humility, honesty, humor and generosity of spirit. He also has shown us the ethics of hard work and the importance of a kind and loving heart. Your daddy, though short in stature, is one of the tallest of men. I, and everyone who ever has known L. Keith Whittle, look up to him. And we smile."

The children of his marriage to Anne are:

2 F ii Lauri Keith Whittle

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Seventh Generation

73221. [Eugene Stanmore Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark Berry, Ambrose C, Mark Berry\)](#) was born 12 Mar 1892 and died 14 Sep 1947 in Blackville, SC.

Eugene married Carrie Lou Gardner (1899-1975). Eugene got himself into a major problem in 1947 and killed himself.



Eugene and Carrie Lou had the following children:

- 1 F i Evelyn Whittle - married Harold Cromer
- 2 M ii Hirman Wesley Whittle - born 1925 or 1926 and died 12 Dec 2010. He married Florence Atkinson.
- 3 F iii Juanita Whittle - born about 1929. She married Odelle Gable.
- 4 F iv Annie Ruth Whittle - born about 1933. She married Ray Lybrand.
- 5 M v Gardner E. Whittle - born about 1936.
- 6 F vi Mabel Elizabeth Whittle - born about 1939. She married Smokey

Dukes.

73226. [Mark Briggs Whittle \(Burris, Joseph, Ambrose, Mark Berry, Ambrose C, Mark Berry\)](#) was born 2 Aug 1910 and died 18 May 1987. Mark married Myrtle Louise Cane. She was born 23 Jun 1914 and died in 28 Oct 2001.

- 7322261 F i Harriet Delano Whittle - was born 8 Nov 1932 and died in 1999. She married Willie Ralph Williams.
- 7322262 M ii Mack Blane Whittle - was born in 20, Jul 1935.
- 7322263 M iii Robert Harry Whittle - was born in 14 Mar 1940 and died 22 May 1994. He married Carol Pope.
- 7322264 F iv Sarah Jane Whittle - was born 2 Feb 1947 and died in 1994. She married Grady Cole Odom.

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Other Early Whittles With South Carolina Roots

Who Are Their Parents?

There are 3 Whittle brothers who appear in US census data born in the same time period as the children of James and Joseph Whittle. All of them say they were born in South Carolina. All 3 lived in Crawford County, GA in 1830 and appear on jury lists. It is possible they belong to the second Joseph from the 1790 census or the second James from the 1810 census. It is very unlikely they belong to James M. Whittle, Sr. because he died intestate and the court awarded the estate to his 13 named children. James would not have had the opportunity to cut them out of his will.

1. Richard Whittle was born in 1804 and died in 1884 in Smith County, Mississippi.

From the book, Georgia Marriages to 1850 by Jordon Dodd, we find a record of the marriage of Richard Whittle to Temperance Goodin on 11 Nov 1827 in Crawford County, GA. This is 4 years after the birth of William J. Whittle, so there may be an unknown first wife. Some time before 1860, Richard married Feraby Pope.

Richard and Feraby Whittle are on both the 1860 and 1870 Census living in Smith County, Mississippi. There is a land patent on file which shows that he was in Mississippi by 1848. Both say they were born in South Carolina on both census records. On the 1880 census, both say their parents were born in SC. Richard's children from the 1860 census are:

- 1 M i William J. Whittle - born in Georgia about 1823 and died in 1866.
- 2 M ii James Erasmus Whittle - born about 1831 and died in 1901.
- 3 F iii Vincy A. Whittle - born in Mississippi about 1843.
- 4 F iv Missouri Whittle - born in Alabama about 1845.
- 5 F v Mary Whittle - born in Mississippi about 1854.
- 6 F vi Elizabeth Whittle - born in Louisiana about 1855.

There are two letters that prove Richard and Elisha Whittle were brothers. One of them also mentions James as a brother as well. The first was written in 1909 by William Henry Whittle, grandson of Richard Whittle.

March 26, 1909

Mr. W. H. Whittle
Whittle Springs, Tenn.

Dear Sir and Relatives:

Your letter of 15th addressed to Guef~~ter~~ Miss. was forwarded to me and glad to note your interest in our name. All of my ancestors came to this county and settled in Virginia and Maryland. I have one great Uncle, so I was told, that resided at Butler, Georgia. His name was Lish Whittle. I have met people that knew the family. My father was a son of Richard Whittle. He only had one brother and he resided in Kemper County, Mississippi and died there about 8 years ago and a splendid man he was. My father was killed by his steam mill when I was a mere child of 5 years just at the close of the war between the States. Walter Whittle, the Baptist minister and my younger brother have met many times and says we are all related. Judge Whittle, who resided at Macon, Georgia, was a relative of ours. I have no record by which I can refer to that would establish my relation to, but few of our name. Our family are all dark complexion, black hair, brown eyes, high cheek bone. I have 4 brothers and 2 sisters all living. My mother is dead. I feel sure that we are related and if you can help clear up our family record it would afford me much pleasure. I have a wife and 5 children, 2 daughters grown and married, son 10 years old and bright little fellow. Our oldest daughter graduated at Centenary, Cleveland, Tenn. 5 years ago. I have managed to make my way in the world and have the respect of the best people. I feel sure you are nicely situated and prosperous.

One of my brothers is a Dentist and one practicing Physician at Union, Mississippi.

I will be glad to hear from you at any time. With best wishes.

As ever,
Your Relative

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William Henry Whittle

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William doesn't identify his father by name but it has to be William J. Whittle. The brother mentioned must be James Erasmus Whittle. Judge Whittle is Lewis Neil Whittle a son of Fortescue Whittle of Virginia fame. Unfortunately William does not mention enough family names, but if the connection to Judge Whittle is accurate, we have some new possibilities.

The second letter arrives 31 years later. Page 2, if there was one is missing, but it is likely from another son of William J. Whittle, Richard A. Whittle. This letter confirms Lish again and adds Jim to the list of three brothers.

Gladesville, Tex.
March 20, 1940

Mr. W. H. Whittle
Knoxville
Tenn.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter addressed to Union, Miss. was forwarded to me by my son who is living there. Your letter written to D. M. H. Whittle, who once lived at Collins, Miss., asking information concerning our branch of the Whittle family was read with interest. My brother, D. M. H. Whittle, died Feb. 15, 1937 in New Orleans at the age of 78 yrs. I have been living in Texas for the past 27 years, moving to Texas from Union, Miss.

My father's name was William J. Whittle & he was born August 11th 1823 & died March 20, 1866 (Bar-trail accident). His brother who resided in Kemper Co. Miss. was James Erasmus Whittle who died in 1898 or 1899 at the age of 80 yrs.

My grandfather's name was Richard Whittle & he died about 1884 at the age of 80 yrs.

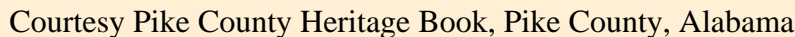
My grandfather had a brother Lish Whittle, who lived in La. & he also had a brother named Jim.

W. H. WHITTLE PAPERS
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2. Elisha Whittle was born about 1805 and died 20 Jun 1885 in Pike County, Alabama. He was married to Orpha C Bodie. Orpha was born in SC in 1803 and died 4 Jan 1885 in Pike County, Alabama.

Elisha Whittle makes his debut on the 1830 census living in Crawford County, Georgia. Researchers have not been able to verify his parentage. In every census from 1850 through 1880 he



The only record found for Elisha Whittle in South Carolina is the settlement of the estate of Allen Bodie in 1833. Elisha and his wife are awarded 1/13 of 2/3 of Allen's estate. Because Elisha's wife is not named in the estate settlement, researchers had concluded that he was first married to Nancy Bodie and that Orpha was a second wife. Thanks to some recent discovery of old documents from Edgefield County we have a petition for the sale of Allen's real estate that lists his wife as "Orfea". From this it is assumed that Orfea was a daughter of Allen Bodie. The Nancy Bodie in the estate settlement is the daughter of John Bodie, deceased. She receives 1/13 of 2/3, which is paid to [James C. Whittle](#) as her guardian because she is under age.



Elisha and Orpha Whittle had the following children:

- 1 M i Manly A. Whittle - born about 1825 and died in 1870 in Hinds Co,
MS.
- 2 F ii Milbray Whittle - born about 1826.

- 3 F iii Sarah Whittle - born about 1829.
- 4 F iv Louisa Jane Whittle - born about 1831. She married Wilson Bell (Bell & Howell family).
- 5 F v Charity Whittle - born about 1832. She married John B. Sasser.
- 6 F vi Mary Elizabeth Whittle - born about 1833.
- 7 F vii Caroline Whittle - born about 1836.
- 8 M viii John Elisha Whittle, Jr. - born 30 Jun 1846

3. James Whittle was born between 1807 and 1809 and died 22 Feb 1891 in Taylor, Georgia. He married Mary McGee on 23 Sep 1830. She was born Jun 1805 and died 14 Dec 1893. Both are buried in Hays Campground Church (Union Methodist) in Taylor County.

A Taylor County Visitor

Among the visitors in the city yesterday was Mr. James Whittle, one of the oldest citizens of Taylor County. Mr. Whittle has six sons, all living, that served in the Confederate Army, the eldest, J.[sic] G. Whittle* of Alabama, having been in twenty-seven regular engagements with Jackson, Lee and Longstreet. Mr. Whittle enjoys the best of health and is greatly attached to Taylor county.

*Irving Green WHITTLE (1834-1894)

Source: The Macon Telegraph, 20 Apr 1889, Macon, Bibb Co., GA, Page 5, column 3

James Whittle can be found on the 1850, 1860 and 1880 Georgia census. In all three he says he was born in South Carolina. On the 1880 census he says his father was born in SC and his mother in NC. There is a record of his marriage to Mary McGee dated 23 Sept 1830 in Crawford County, GA so it would seem that he left SC when he was 21 years old. Is he possibly a child of the second James on the 1820 census? James and Mary had the following children based on the census data:

- 1 F i Ann Panzade Whittle - born about 1831, said to have married Alexander Jones.
Elizabeth Melvina Whittle - born about 1832, She married John Thomas Jones. John was killed at Drury's Bridge, VA in 1864. They had one son named John Frank Jones and he had 9 children with Mary Elizabeth Middlebrooks. What happened to Melvina after the Civil War is unknown.
- 2 F ii Irving Green Whittle - born about 1834 and died Dec 1894 in Macon, Bibb Co, GA. His second marriage was to Georgiann McGee. Both had previous marriages. Irving served the Confederacy in the 9th Regiment, Georgia Infantry and some how survived.

9th Regiment, Georgia Infantry

9th Infantry Regiment, organized during the late spring of 1861, contained men from Wilkinson, Walton, Chattooga, Clay, Talbot, Baldwin, Fayette, Brooks, Troup, and Sumter counties. Ordered to Virginia the unit was assigned to General G.T. Anderson's Brigade and remained under his command

for the duration of the war.

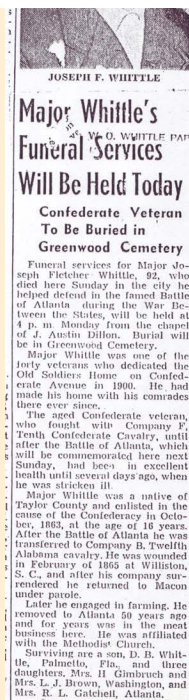
- 3 M iii It fought with the Army of Northern Virginia from the Seven Days' Battles to Cold Harbor, except when it was with Longstreet at Suffolk, in Georgia, and at Knoxville. The regiment did not arrive in time to take part in the fight at Chickamauga. It was involved in the Petersburg siege south and north of the James River and later the Appomattox Campaign.

This unit had 411 effectives in April, 1862, lost 8 killed and 41 wounded during the Seven Days' Battles, and had 12 killed and 116 wounded at Second Manassas. Its casualties at Gettysburg were more than fifty percent of the 340 engaged. From April 14 to May 6, there were 105 disabled, and from August 1 to December 31, 1864, it lost 63 killed or wounded.

The regiment surrendered with 15 officers and 174 men. Its commanders were Colonels Benjamin Beck, E.R. Goulding, Edward F. Hoge, and Richard A. Turnipseed; Lieutenant Colonels John C.L. Mounger, Sr., and John G. Webb; and Majors John W. Arnold and William M. Jones.

- 4 F iv Martha Ann Whittle - born about 1836, said to have married LaFayette Stanford.
- 5 F v Hannah Jane Whittle - born about 1837, said to have married Elisha Waters.
- 6 M vi Elbert J. Whittle - born 18 Apr 1839 and died 25 Mar 1910. He served in the 19th Battalion, Georgia Cavalry. He married Sarah F. Wade of Talbot and Taylor Co, GA.
- 7 M vii William Henry Whittle - born 4 Dec 1840 and died 27 Oct 1923. He married Rebecca Boland.
- 8 M viii George W. Whittle - born about 1844 and died in 1908. He married Josephine Kimble Sauls. George served in the 1st Cavalry, Georgia Reserves.
- 9 M ix John W. Whittle - born about 1846 and died in 1904. John served in the 1st Cavalry, Georgia Reserves.
- 10 M x [Joseph Fletcher Whittle \(1847-1939\)](#) - born about 1847 and died 16 July 1939. In his obituary it says he served in the 10th Georgia Cavalry and the 12th Alabama Cavalry. No information has been found in the National Archives to prove Joseph Whittle served in these units. It is said that he married Zippie Dickson and they had at least 4 children.





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In 1924, Joseph F. Whittle makes an appearance and tells a similar story as in our 1909 letter but adds a few things that could radically affect Edgefield County Whittle history.

Atlanta, Ga. Sept. 23, 1924

Mr. W.O. Whittle
Knoxville, Tenn.

W. O. WHITTLE PAPERS
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Dear Will :

As a result of your letter to Miss. Annette Whittle Atlanta National Bank, I was visited today by Joseph F. Whittle, age 77, son of James Whittle who died 27 years ago at the age of 89, who was the son of James Whittle who died at the age of 107. His father came from Virginia and his grandfather came from Virginia when a very old man. They settled near Edgefield, S.C.

In discussing his family connections he ^{spoke of} Judge L.N. Whittle a distinguished man who came from Virginia to Macon, Ga. he said that he had talked with Judge Whittle many years ago and that Judge Whittle said that James Whittle (J.F.'s father) and he were first cousins. Judge Whittle was a brother of Bishop Whittle of Petersburg Va.

J.F. Whittle said that Judge Whittle told him that the name "Whittle" was Turkish and that the original Whittle went to Scotland and married into a Dutch family and that all the Whittle's who came from Scotland are from that stock.

J.F. Whittle is not very well educated. What I think Judge Whittle was telling him was that Turks or Assyrians who first went to Egypt and the leader a great engineer, had put in the irrigation system of the Nile--The Nile being named after the leader--ventured farther west and occupied Ireland and Scotland forming the original Gaelic people and speaking the Gaelic language. It is possible that this is what he was telling. But, of course, it is also possible that he has it right and there may be a Turk under our skins.

To find out whether or not Judge Whittle has left any written record of the Whittle family, I suggest that you write his son Murray Whittle, Loraine, Georgia. Murray probably knows very little about it unless his father left some written record. Judge Whittle's other children are dead it seems and Murray is a mere-do-well but a genteel sort of person.

My informant does not know the name of any of his father's brothers or sisters in Virginia or elsewhere. He said his father ran off from home when scarcely more than a lad, because of his step mother, and made his way to South Carolina where he became wealthy and was generally known as "Major Whittle". His father was an ardent non-cessionist and union man but all his sons fought in the confederate army. He was a man of rather remarkable prophetic vision, predicted the length of the war and foretold the return of all his sons from the war and was not in any doubt when one failed to show up for sometime after the war.

J.F. Whittle looks like our Whittle's. His features were familiar. I studied them closely as he talked. Something about the eyes and cheeks and general shape of the head were indicative of common origin with our tribe. He is the great uncle of the girl whom you wrote.

It now seems that grandfather's brothers are not of the South Carolina branch, which we had suspected all along. But there are some Whittle's in North Georgia, some in Pike county Georgia further south, which J.F. said he had heard of and did not think they were of South Carolina origin. J.F. had a brother to settle in Alabama.

He said his father was dark of hair and eyes and rather dark complected but he said Judge Whittle was fair in complexion with blue eyes. I had heard of a student at ~~Cadmon~~ College by the name of Whittle who was swarthy and got the name of "Indian". Whether it is Turkish or Pocahontas blood, black Dutch or what not, remains to be found out.

I believe this is all that I learned which is not much in line with what you are seeking for.

Yours very truly
C. Whittle

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This haunting letter contains many unanswered questions. A lot of people from the James Whittle, Jr. South Carolina families have thought that "Major James" was their James. This may not be so. Who is this James Whittle? Is he the first James we find on the 1810 census? If so, we have now accounted for 3 of his 4 male children.

What about the reference again to Judge Lewis Neale Whittle? If this is true, then this James' father is a brother of Conway and Fortescue Whittle who arrived in Virginia from Ireland ca. 1800. Even if Judge Whittle was wrong about first cousins, there is now evidence of another James Whittle from Virginia. Could Ambrose Whittle be the fourth son? Remember the census taker recorded his father was born in Ireland on the 1880 census.

Most intriguing of all is who is the 107 year old James from Virginia? In order for the references to Lewis Neale Whittle to be true, the following lineage would be required to make them first cousins.

James Whittle - Ireland	
Fortescue Whittle (1776-1858)	James Whittle (1778-1885)
Lewis Neale Whittle (1818-1886)	James Whittle (1808-1897)
	Joseph F. Whittle (1847-1939)

One reference found on Ancestry.com does state that Fortescue had a brother James, however, there is no proof that he ever came to America. Max Crowder has recently written a book about Fortescue and his home, Whittle's Mill, in Mecklenburg County, Virginia. If you have an interest in this family, visit whittlesmill.org

4. Edward M. Whittle was born between 1766 and 1768 and died after 1860 in Greenwood, Oxford County Maine. Rev Edward Whittle first appears in Maine on the 1820 census. He is found on the 1850 census, age 82 and again in 1860, age 94. On both, the census taker recorded his birthplace as South Carolina. The 1850 census lists his occupation as Methodist minister.

He married Elizabeth Higgins from Massachusetts based on information found in "New England Families - Genealogical and Memorial" on Ancestry.com. Edward's son Edward was born about 1807 and he consistently said he was born in Maine, so his father apparently left SC before he was ever recorded on any census. It is possible that Edward is another son of James Burris Whittle; however, there is a record of a slave trade agent named Capt. Giles Whittle who lived in Charleston ca.1740.

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Virginia Whittles

John Warren Whittle (1750-1816)

John Warren Whittle Sr. was born in Amherst County, Virginia ca. 1750 and died 22 Apr 1816 in Casey County, Kentucky. He married Sarah Josling in 1779 in Amherst County, VA. He was the son of Matthew Whittle and Elizabeth Warren. Sarah was a daughter of Patriot John Josling and Dianah Evans.

Early deeds show the Whittle, Warren, Josling and Evans families were neighbors in Virginia before coming to Kentucky. Their roots go back to the early 1600s in Jamestown, VA, and England and France.

He bought land on the Rockcastle River in Kentucky as early as February 1784. John had a lead mine in Amherst County from which he furnished gunpowder to Gen. Nathaniel Greene's Army. Capt. Edmund Fair Sr. and his wife Silence were living in Burke County, NC, next to brothers Joseph and Charles McDowell in 1780 where court records show they were both busy reporting Tories to the authorities.

Under the leadership of Maj. Joseph McDowell with the Overmountain Men they defeated the British on Oct. 7, 1780, in the Battle of Kings Mountain, the turning point of the Revolutionary War. Also, Whittle was at the Battle of Point Pleasant, WVA, at Fort Boonesborough under Col. John Holder and in Illinois with Gen. George Rogers Clark.

John was commissioned on March 21, 1803, a lieutenant in the 6th Regt. in the Lincoln County, KY, Militia. The children of his marriage to Sarah Josling are:

- 1 F i Elizabeth Whittle
 Ninion Whittle - born ca. 1775 and died sometime after 1830. He returned to
- 2 M ii Amherst County, VA and married Oney Kennedy on 12 Oct 1801. On the 1810
 and 1830 census he was in Henderson County, TN. They had three sons named
 Jesse, John and Sterling.
- 3 F iii Mattice Whittle - born ca. 1774 and died probably during childbirth sometime
 ca. 1810. She married Claiborne Duncan (1771-1830). No children have been
 identified.
- 4 F iv Sophia Whittle - born ca. 1777 and died in a house fire in 1843. She married
 John East in 1800, No record has been found of any children.
- 5 M v John Warren Whittle, Jr. - born ca. 1781 and died in 1835. He married Margaret
 Fair (1783-1874) in 1802. Both are buried in the Whittle/Fair family cemetery
 in Liberty, KY. They had at least 8 children. One Son, Edmund, moved to
 Missouri and is part of the original family that settled there.
- 6 M vi Vincent Whittle - born ca. 1784 and died in 1810. Vincent died of an accidental
 leg amputation. He was married to Sarah Josling who was a first cousin. On the
 1820 census there are 2 children from his marriage to Sarah Josling. They have
 not been identified.

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The South Carolina Whittle Families

Fifth Generation (continued)

Related Family Members

Several branches of the Etheridge family came to South Carolina about the same time as James Burris Whittle. After the Revolutionary War some married Whittles and visa versa.

For those interested in the Etheridge family history see [Our Etheridge Family Circles](#).

The story of Tyre Etheridge is difficult to determine because there were two Tyre Etheridges in Edgefield County. Based on the 1870 census, Elizabeth Etheridge Whittle had a brother named Tyre (1) who was born 12 Nov 1849 and died 17 Apr 1928. He is 7 or 8 years older than Elizabeth. This Tyre was born to Joseph Etheridge (1810-1893) and Elizabeth Inabinet (1811-1881).

The other Tyre (2) was born 20 Apr 1830. This Tyre was born to William Etheridge (1787-1846) and Letha Jennings. Based on the will of William Etheridge in 1847, he bequested land and money to Tyre, Guilford, Joseph, Mary Ann and other daughters not listed by name.

1. Tyre Fletcher Etheridge - was born 12 Nov 1849 and died 17 Apr 1928.

Tyre married Sarah Adranna Parlee Riser, born 29 Jun 1851 and died 22 Nov 1939.

The children of their marriage are: See <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/54960298/>

F i Rosa Lentz Etheredge Jun 23,1877 - May 28,1955 Married: William Peurifoy Yarbrough 1875 - 1915.

F ii Susan Marilla Etheredge Mar 17,1879 - Oct 27,1880.

M iii William Marion Etheredge Jun 13,1881 - May 1971.

M iv Coke Etheredge Born Oct 25,1883.

F v Happuch Janet Etheredge Jul 15,1886 - Dec 11,1970 Married Daniel Eugene Pendarvis (1889-1971).

M vi Henry Hartwell Etheredge May 9,1889 - Mar 1972. He married Lillian Monita Cox.

F vii Ruth Parlee Etheredge (1895-1897)



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2. Tyre Etheridge - was born 20 Apr 1830 and died 14 May 1910.

His wife, Matilda Matthews. was born 17 Nov 1831 and died in 1910. Tyre and Matilda had 10 children. Tyre enlisted in Company M, 7th SC Infantry at the start of the war. He was wounded, hospitalized for various sicknesses and captured before the surrender at Appomattox Court House. It is said that he walked home from Virginia with a minny ball in his leg.



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The children of Tyre Etheridge and Matilda Mathews are:

See <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/54960729/>

- M i Bud Cade Etheridge (1851-1914) married Ellie Nora Watkins (1853-1903).
- F ii Elizabeth Matilda Etheridge (1853-1906) married James Howard Riser (1848-1934)
- F iii Lucy Ann Etheridge - born 1856.
- F iv Martha R Etheridge - (1858-1930) married Joseph Guilford Etheredge (1853-1909).
- M v George Tillman Etheridge - (1860-1919). On the 1900 census he is living in Saluda with his wife Mary Hare and their 8 daughters. They must have tried hard for a boy.
- F vi Laura R Etheridge - (1863-1931) married Jacob Austin.
- M vii William Etheridge - (1867-1899).
- F viii Mary Rose Etheridge - (1869-1947) married Frederick Hampton Hendrix.
- M ix Ezekiel J Etheridge - born 28 Aug 1871 and died 23 Sep 1938. He married Mary Belle Martin in 1897. They were living with Tyre and Matilda in 1900. Belle was born in 1871 and died in 1966. Sometime before 1920, Ezekiel and Belle moved to Florida.
- M x James Lee Etheridge - (1874-1962). He married Essie Baker (1882-1950).

Tyre Etheredge (1830-1915) son of William Etheredge (c.1769-1846) had 6 children born before 1864. On 1 Dec 1863 Tyre filed a petition to oversee the plantation of Elizabeth Gibson. His petition states that he serves in Company M, Regiment 7 under Captain Goggans. It also states that he has 6 children. That proves it was Tyre Etheredge (1830-1915) that served in Company M.

The State of South Carolina
Edgefield District
To the Hon Jefferson Davis President
of the Confederate States of America
The humble petition of Tyne Ethredge
of the District and State aforesaid
respectfully sheweth, that he is owner
of Company H. Commanded by Capt
Goggins of the 7th South Carolina Regi-
ment having entered the service about
the first day of May 1863 that he is the
committee under the appointment
of the Court of Chancery of Solon of Mps
Elizabeth Gibson a lunatic lady who is
about twenty five years of age having given
bond for the faithful performance of
his duties as such Committee that
the estate of the said Lunatic consists
of a plantation situate in Edgefield
District and about thirty slaves
among whom are fifteen working
hands and that there is no ^{white} male person
on said plantation to manage said
slaves and that owing to the fact that
so many of the citizens have gone into
the war from the vicinity that it is
almost if not altogether impossible
to procure the services of a competent
manager on the plantation
Your petitioner would further state
that he has himself a family con-
sisting of a wife and six children
and two negro slaves of his own

without any person competent to
manage them.

Your Petitioner in
consideration of these facts humbly
prays that he may be assigned to the
charge of said plantation as successer
and Your petitioner will ever
pray and so forth

Personally came before me the
petitioner Tyne Ethredge who says on
oath that the statement made in
his foregoing petition is true
Sworn to Before
me this 1st December
1863

H. S. Wright } Tyne Ethredge
Notary Public
for the Edgefield District

South Carolina } Personally came
Edgefield District } before me
Prof. C. Matthews Arthur Watt & John M. Keary
who after being duly sworn say
that they know the statements made
in the foregoing petition to be true
Sworn to and subscribed
Before me

This fourth day of } Prof. C. Matthews
December 1863 } Arthur Watt
L. C. M. Keary M. C. T. } J. M. Keary

The State of South Carolina
Edgefield District
I of W. C. Carnell Commissioner
of the Court of Equity for Edgefield
District hereby certify that Tyne
Ethredge is the Committee of Mps
Elizabeth Gibson and has given
his bond as required by this Court
I further certify that I know
the parties whose names appear
to the foregoing affidavits and
that they are entitled to full
credit. Given under my hand
and Seal of Office this 7th
day of December A. D.
One thousand eight
hundred and sixty three
J. W. Carnell
Com. in Equity
Edgefield Dist.

(Confederate.)
E. J. Whittle
Co. M. 7th Regt. S.C.
 Name appears as signature to a
Roll of Prisoners of War
 paroled at Point Lookout, Md., and transferred to
 Aiken's Landing, Va., March 14, 1865, for ex-
 change.
 Roll dated *Not dated.*, 186 .
 Where captured *N. Anna. River*
 When captured *May. 23.*, 1864.
 Remarks:
 Roll indorsed: "Received at Bondware's Wharf, March 16th, 1865,
 on this roll Ninety Six hundred and thirty (963) paroled Con-
 federate prisoners of War, including Ninety Six Citizens.--
 W. M. HAYES, Asst. Agent of Ensl."

Number of roll:
963; sheet *1* *R. W. F. C.*
 (609b) Copyist.

(Confederate.)
E. J. Whittle
Co. M. 7th Regt. S.C.
 Appears on a roll of
Prisoners of War
 at Point Lookout, Md.
 Date of arrival *Co. Royal. Va.*
May 30, 1864.
 Where captured *North Anna*
 When captured *May 23, 1864.*
 Remarks: *Exchanged March 14,*
1865.
 Point Lookout, Md., Register No. 1; page *144*
C. B. Simpson
 (607) Copyist.

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The South Carolina Whittle Families

Connecting Whittles In Other Southern States

Although the purpose of this web site is to document the South Carolina Whittle families, many researchers would like to connect early families that settled in other Southern States, in order to prove we are all cousins. Although I am sure we are all related, proof of it is hard to come by. To the best of my knowledge, no researchers have submitted any evidence of contact between the Whittle families in Kentucky, North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee during the early 1800s. This web page will provide a broad overview of migration, it is not intended to be a detailed analysis of Whittle genealogy in other Southern States.

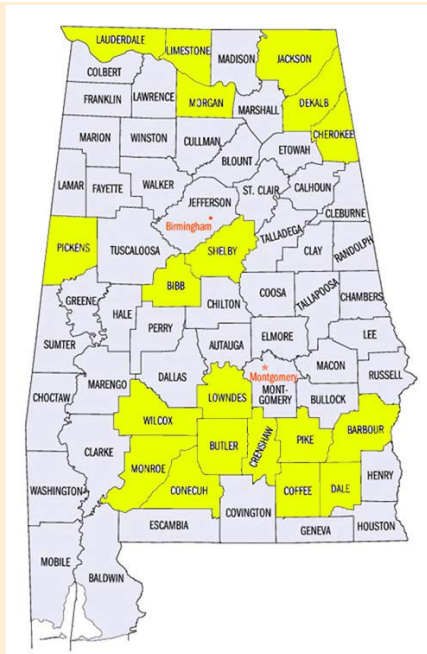
ALABAMA - 22nd State, 14 Dec 1819

Prior to the Civil War the dominate activity in Alabama was cotton-growing, carried on under the slave labor, plantation system. Beginning in 1821 river steam boats began transporting to the port of Mobile for shipment to New York and thence to England. This period saw the beginnings of industry with the establishment of cotton, grist, and lumber mills; iron furnaces and foundries; and factories for making farm implements. Road and railroad construction began, especially after a series of Indian Treaties in the 1830s ceded all of the Indian lands East of the Mississippi River to the white man which opening up more land for settlement.

Alabama's Black Belt is a region of the state, part of the larger Black Belt Region of the Southern United States, which stretches from Texas to Virginia. This region includes some of the poorest counties in the United States. The name referred originally to the thin layer of exceptionally fertile black soil which encouraged cotton farming in the pioneer period of Alabama history. It may just as well now refer to the exceptionally high proportion of African American residents in these counties.

In Alabama, the heart of the Black Belt is centered in western part of the state between the Appalachian foothills and the coastal plain. The list of counties comprising the Black Belt is often dependent on the context but traditionally includes Barbour, Bullock, Butler, Choctaw, Crenshaw, Dallas, Greene, Hale, Lowndes, Macon, Marengo, Montgomery, Perry, Pickens, Pike, Russell, Sumter, and Wilcox.

Courtesy of Grolliers Encyclopedia International and Wikipedia.org on the Internet



Courtesy of the US Census Bureau

The "Black Belt" region of Alabama was a second home for one branch of Edgefield County, SC Whittles. They even named a district in Lowndes County, Mt. Willing, after their previous home in South Carolina. A younger brother of William Whittle named Reuben arrived sometime before the 1830 census. There are other Whittles found in different counties in 1830; Bibb, Morgan and Shelby, that are yet unaccounted for, and are not there in 1840. William Whittle, Sr. and his family joined Reuben in Lowndes County before 1840. Another brother of William and Reuben, Maston, moved to Barbour County between 1833 and 1836.

By 1850 the state is full of Whittles. Former North Carolina residents, William and John D. Whittle are found in Pickens County to the Northwest. They moved into Mississippi about 1852. Stancil Whittle, son of Ambrose Whittle from Edgefield County, SC, is in Cherokee County to the Northeast. Descendants of Rev. John Whittle are in Coffee County close to their cousins in Lowndes County. It is possible that these families did cross paths.

One of the closest encounters between former SC Whittles occurs in Butler County on the 1860 census. Auguston Freeman, descendant of Rev. John Whittle, and William Whittle, Jr., son of William from Edgefield County, live very close to each other. [Elisha Whittle](#), still of unknown parentage, and Ambrose D. Whittle, who descends from Burrell Whittle, are living in the neighboring counties of Dale and Pike. There are Whittles located in 8 adjacent counties in southern Alabama. One would think some record of contact between the families exists in someone's trunk in the attic.

Eleven Whittle boys fought in various Alabama Regiments during the Civil War. One of them was Harmon Whittle who appears on the 1850 census at age 12. He is living in Dale County with a John Vann from North Carolina. On the 1860 census he is living with Ambrose D Whittle. He enlisted as a private in Company B, 33rd Alabama Infantry. From information found in the National Archives he was one of the casualties.

33rd Regiment, Alabama Infantry

The 33rd Infantry Regiment was organized at Pensacola, Florida, in April, 1862. Its members were raised in Coffee, Butler, Dale, Montgomery, and Covington counties.

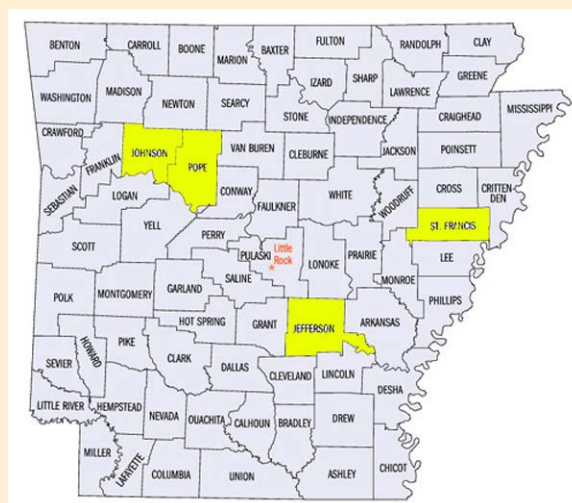
The unit was ordered to Mississippi, then Kentucky, where it took an active part in the conflicts at Munfordville and Perryville. Brigaded under Generals Wood, Lowrey, and in 1865, Shelley, the

33rd participated in the campaigns of the Army of Tennessee from Murfreesboro to Atlanta, moved with Hood to Tennessee, and fought at Bentonville. It lost 82% of the 500 engaged at Perryville, and reported 100 casualties at Murfreesboro and 149 at Chickamauga. On December 14, 1863, the regiment totalled 536 men and 385 arms. Many were lost during the Atlanta Campaign and of the 285 at Franklin, 67% were disabled. Very few surrendered in North Carolina.

The regiment was commanded by Colonels Samuel Adams and Robert F. Crittenden, and Lieutenant Colonels James H. Dunkin and Daniel H. Horn.

For the most part the Alabama Whittles returned home in 1865. On the 1870 census we find most of the same names in the same counties. Butler County is the home of the former SC Whittles, none are listed in Lowndes County. A first cousin named Alfred, son of Willis Whittle, arrived in Butler County before 1870. He is the only one of Willis's children known to have left SC. In the northern county of Limestone we find 3 families of Whittles who were born in Tennessee.

ARKANSAS - 25th State, 15 Jun 1836



Courtesy of the US Census Bureau

The first census for Arkansas Territory in 1830 lists only one Whittle living in the town of Pope. His name is Levi and he is in the age 20 to 30 column with a wife and one son under age 5. Levi Whittle was born between 1800 and 1810. On the 1840 census Levi, now in the age 30 to 40 column, has 1 son under age 5 and 2 more under 10, as well as 2 daughters. He is joined in 1840 by a John Whittle living in L'Anguille, Saint Francis. John is about the same age and has 7 sons and 3 daughters.

By 1850 we have names of wives and children. Levi was born in 1802, his wife, Lydia in 1808, both say they were born in Tennessee. All of their children are shown as born in Arkansas, which means Levi was in AK by 1829. They are living in Horsehead, Johnson County. The John Whittle from 1840 is no longer on the scene. Two new Whittle families have settled in Pope. William Whittle, age 21 born in NC, with wife Elizabeth, born in TN, and son John H, born in AK, which means William arrived about 1849. Also, Hanah Cagle, age 38 and head of household, born in NC with Whittle children born in AK, IL, NC and TN. It is interesting to note that one Hannah Cagle Bennett will sell property in Cowlitz County, WA to William Whittle in 1864 from which is created a Whittle Cemetery near Castle Rock.

On the 1860 census we find three obviously related Whittle families that are living next door to each other, Levi and his sons, John and James. On this census, the census taker records Levi's birthplace as Kentucky. There is no sign of Hanah Cagle and her family of Whittle children from the 1850 census.

Two sons of Levi are still living in Johnson County in 1870, Jesse and William. Mary Whittle, most likely the widow of John, is listed as head of household. Their last child was born in 1869, so John probably died after the Civil War. One report on the Internet says John was killed in a gun fight. John, Robert and William Whittle served the Confederacy in the 15th Arkansas Infantry.

15th Regiment, Arkansas Infantry (Northwest)

15th (McRae's-Hobbs'-Boone's) Infantry Regiment [also called 21st and Northwest Regiment] was formed in December, 1861, using the 3rd Arkansas Infantry Battalion as its nucleus.

It took an active part in the battles at Wilson's Creek and Elkhorn Tavern, and on March 11, 1862, contained 10 officers and 168 men. Later the unit moved east of the Mississippi River, fought at Corinth and Hatchie Bridge, then was assigned to M. E. Green's and Dockery's Brigade in the Department of Mississippi and East Louisiana. It sustained 82 casualties at Port Gibson and was part of the garrison captured at Vicksburg on July 4, 1863. When exchanged, the regiment was not reorganized, but some of its members joined other Arkansas commands.

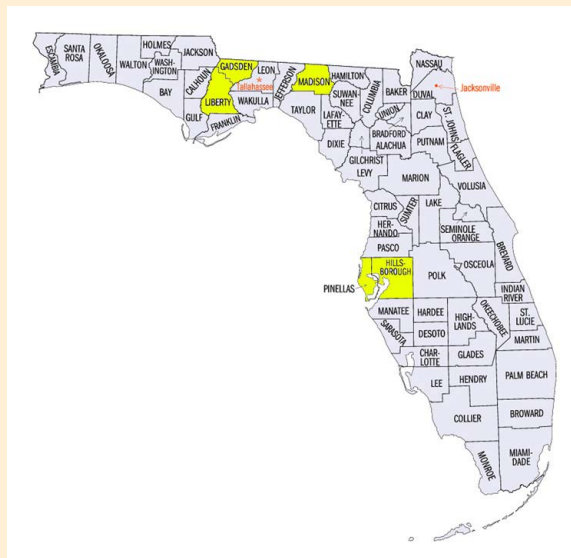
The field officers were Colonels Squire Boone, James H. Hobbs, and Dandridge McRae; Lieutenant Colonel William W. Reynolds; and Majors D. A. Stuart and William Thompson.

Based on published research, and finding no disputes, Levi Whittle's ancestry is Matthew / Joseph / Robert Whittle. No connection or contact with the South Carolina Whittles has been found.

The population of Whittles in Arkansas has doubled by 1880. Nephews of Levi arrive in Logan and Madison Counties, Prior Lee and his son Woodford Whittle, born in TN. Their ancestry is Matthew / Joseph / George Whittle. Joseph Whittle, from Edgefield County, SC arrived in Pine Bluff, Jefferson County prior to 1880. As you can see on the map, Jefferson is some distance from the Northwest Counties, so It is doubtful that Joseph ever met the other Whittles in AK.

FLORIDA - 27th State, 3 Mar 1845

By 1845, when Florida was admitted as a state, all but a few hundred Seminoles had been removed to the territory of Oklahoma. The Third Seminole War (1855–58) was the final conflict with the Seminoles remaining in Florida.

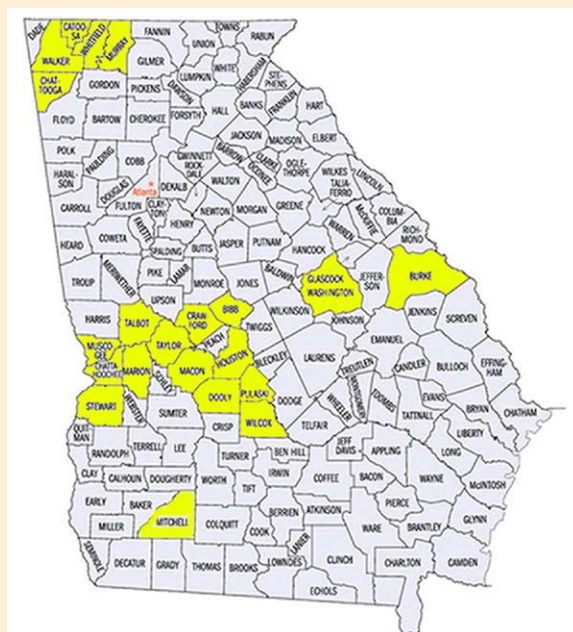


Courtesy of the US Census Bureau

The grandchildren of Reverend John Whittle settled in Gadsden County prior to 1850. By 1860 they are also in the neighboring county of Liberty. Descendants of these families are still found on original property even today. John Paul "Jack" Whittle, son of Ambrose Whittle, seems to have been the first to arrive. Jack's brother Quin joined him before 1860.

Their cousins from South Carolina first settled two counties away in Madison. Reason Whittle, son of James M. Whittle, Jr., and his children then moved farther south into Hillsborough and Pinellas Counties. If these cousins ever met when they lived in the northern counties, I am sure they had fun trying to figure out the Ambrose name, and they were certain they were not related.

GEORGIA - 4th State, 2 Jan 1788



Courtesy of the US Census Bureau

There is no US census data for Georgia prior to 1820. There are tax lists, however, that show a John Whittle in Burke County by 1798. If this is our Rev. John Whittle from Edgefield, SC, you can see from the map that he didn't have to travel a long distance, Burke County is just south of Augusta. On the 1820 census we find John, and two of his sons, Ambrose and Burrell living in Washington County.

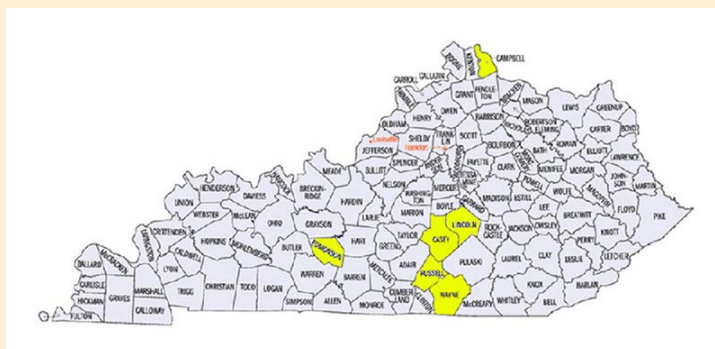
By 1830, three of John Whittle's sons are on their own, Ambrose, Burrell and Seaborn. Elisha Whittle, of unknown SC parentage appears in Crawford County. Burrell has moved to Houston County and there is a Watson Whittle in the adjacent county of Pulaski. No records have been found for Watson after 1830. Rev. John's last son James has a family and lives in Muscogee County by 1840.

The 1850 census lists 83 Whittles throughout the state. The northern county of Murray becomes the home of former Tennessee Whittles, led by the patriarch George Whittle, born in VA in 1780, along with four of his sons and their families. George's first son Matthew moved into Chattooga County. Carrick, Patrick and Woodford Whittle live near their father in Murray County. It is interesting to note that both Carrick and Woodford had sons named James, both born in 1849. For whom were they named?

Two of George Whittle's brother Levi's sons moved to Walker County sometime before 1850, Alexander Campbell and Albert Galitin Whittle. All of the Tennessee Whittles lived in northern counties, considerable distance from the other former South Carolina families. It is unlikely they knew each other.

Lewis Neale Whittle, son of Fortescue Whittle moved to Bibb County from Virginia prior to 1850. Conway and Fortescue Whittle are well documented Virginia immigrants from Ireland ca.1790. Lewis Neale was a prominent attorney in Macon. One has to believe that he knew or met the other Whittle families in surrounding counties. We have two letters that seem to suggest, but do not prove, a relationship; a letter from [William Henry Whittle](#) in 1909 and an interview with [Joseph Fletcher Whittle](#) in 1924. There is a third mention of this found in the biography of [Elisha Whittle](#). It is known that 3 brothers lived in Crawford County prior in 1830, Elisha, James and Richard, all 3 continuously reported they were born in South Carolina, yet no one has yet identified who their parents were. They may be related to Lewis Neale Whittle but it is doubtful that John Whittle is. To my knowledge, no such claim has been filed by the descendants of Rev. John Whittle.

KENTUCKY - 15th State, 1 Jun 1792



Courtesy of the US Census Bureau

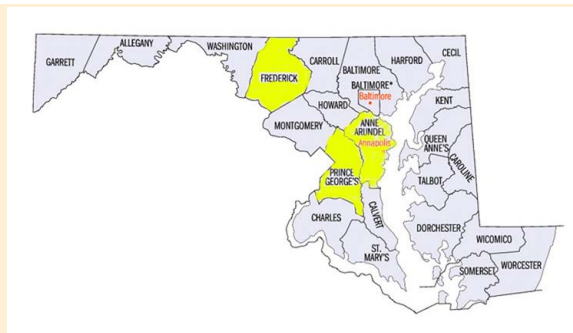
Kentucky was never a territory, prior to statehood it was part of Virginia. For John Warren Whittle, however, it was a long way from Amherst County to Old Lincoln County, KY when he made the trip some time after 1787.

The British are given credit for burning the 1800 KY census data, but the 1810 census shows two Whittle families. John W. Whittle in Casey County and Robert Whittle in the northern most county of Campbell, near the Ohio border. Based on research published in 1973, by [Charles E. Whittle, Jr.](#), it is clear that Robert Whittle is not the son of John W. Whittle. If the tradition of naming the first born son after his paternal grandfather was followed, Robert's father would be Joseph Whittle, John W. Whittle his uncle.

By 1820, Robert has moved to Wayne County which borders Tennessee. John W. Whittle, Jr. is still in Casey County. The 1830 census shows Joseph, son of Robert Whittle, in Edmonson County, on a path that will ultimately lead to Miller County, Missouri by 1842. Visit Peggy Smith Hake's web site at http://www.millercountymuseum.org/bios/bio_w.html for biographical sketches about the Missouri Whittle families. Descendants of John W. Whittle will also end up in Missouri as well.

There is good circumstantial evidence that Robert Whittle is a brother of the Whittles that settled in Sevier County, TN. Unfortunately no record has been found for John W. Whittle's brother Joseph in either KY or TN. This has led many researchers to conclude that Joseph Whittle moved to South Carolina. If so his children were split between KY, SC and TN. To date, no record has been found of any contact between SC and KY (or TN) Whittles, and there are very few common first names of offspring.

MARYLAND - 7th State, 28 Apr 1788



Courtesy of the US Census Bureau

There are several Whittles listed in the "Early Settlers of Maryland" who immigrated in the middle of the 17th century. The earliest ones are William and Magdalen Whittle (not necessarily husband and wife) who arrived in 1646. A Susan Whittle immigrated in 1657 with 2 daughters named Williams. George Whittle arrived in 1658 followed by Nicholas Whittle in 1659. There is also a Margaret Whittle on the immigration list in 1664. Our researcher, Wayne Whittle, says "George Whittle and Alice Parker patented 400 acres of land in Ann Arundel County shortly after he arrived. It is said that George Whittle left 4 unnamed orphans ca.1677 that were awarded to Wm. & Mary Parker. The names, gender, and destiny of these Whittle orphans remains a mystery. Circa 1718, Whittles Rest (400 acres) passed to the Johns family (of Johns-Hopkins fame). It is unclear how Whittle's Rest was passed to the Johns". There are records of a Robert Whittle with the 3rd Maryland Regiment in 1778.

The following information about 18th century Whittles was found on the Internet, published by the Gaither Family:

Harry Wright Newman in Anne Arundel Gentry stated that the wife of Edward GAITHER, born 20 Dec. 1714, son of Benjmain GAITHER and Sarah BURGESS was Eleanor, the widow WHITTLE. He offered no proof of this or reasons why he believed this. He also stated that nothing else was known of her identity. Joshua Dorsey Warfield, in his book on the History of Ann Arundel and Howard Counties, also said that Eleanor Whittle was the wife of Edward Gaither. The author of the following research, disagrees:

"The evidence is that Edward GAITHER's wife Eleanor, and the widow Eleanor WHITTLE are NOT the same person. The inventory of John WHITTLE was taken in Anne Arundel County on 2 Oct. 1749, with his widow Eleanor as administratrix. The inventory was approved by John WHITTLE, Junr. and Rachel WHITTLE as next of kin. Elinor WHITTLE's account of his estate was made on 12 Nov. 1750 with his representatives listed as herself, the widow, and children Rachel THACKRELL wife of John THACKRELL, John, Hester, Sophia, and Richard, the last four all under age 3. As John Jr. signed the inventory in 1749, he had to have been at least age 14 at that time, and Rachel was probably about 16 to have married between 1749 when she approved the inventory and the 1750 account. Having children as early as about 1734, she could not be the same Eleanor, wife of Edward GAITHER, who was having children as late as about 1769, a span of 35 years.

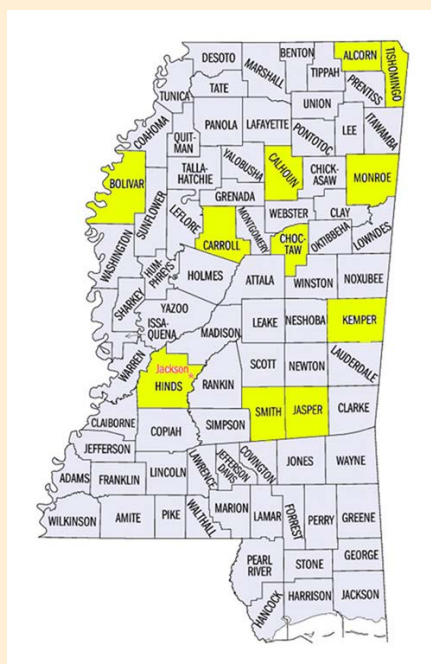
On 12 Aug. 1738 John WHITTEL, cordwainer, purchased an unnamed tract of 50 acres, from John MACCUBBIN, being adjacent to the tracts Freemans Fancy and Abbington. Rent Rolls show this tract to have been part of Snowden's Reputation Supported, listing that John WHITTELL purchased 50 acres (by the name of South Run) from John MACCUBBIN on 12 Aug. 1738. On 6 May 1749 Edward GAITHER, son of Edward, sold to John RIDGELY 150 acres, part of the tract Gaither's Collection. His wife Sarah GAITHER relinquished dower. On 14 Feb. 1750 [1750/1] Edward GAITHER [wife Sarah relinquished dower] sold to Eleanor WHITTLE, widow, 100 acres,

part of Freeman's Fancy, adjacent to John WHITTLE's land and the tract Abington."

On the first census in 1790, we find David Whittle living in Ann Arundel County. By 1800 only an Ann Whittle is listed and she is head of household with 3 boys and 3 girls. Researchers have found evidence of a marriage 20 Dec 1783 between David Whittle and Ann Wood. Ann appears to be a widow by 1800. Two other Whittles are found in the state, John Whittle in Frederick County and Zachariah Whittle in Prince George's County. Zachariah appears on the census living in Baltimore in 1810 and 1820. There is a marriage record which indicates he married Elizabeth Disney 25 Feb 1795.

The 1810 census lists a Richard Whittle in Baltimore, and in 1820 we find Nicholas Whittle, son of David Whittle, in Ann Arundel, Reed (probably Richard) and Jerrimiah in Baltimore and John Whittle in Frederick County.

MISSISSIPPI - 20th State, 10 Dec 1817



Courtesy of the US Census Bureau

The Whittle name first appears in Mississippi on the 1850 census. James Whittle, born about 1800 in Georgia, is in Kemper County. There is also a Sarah Whittle living in the household of Thomas Peoples in Choctaw County. The origins of these Whittles is presently unknown.

By 1860 Whittle families have settled in several locations. John D and William Whittle, both born in NC, migrated from Pickens County, AL to Calhoun and Carroll Counties about 1852. [Richard Whittle](#), born in SC, and his two sons are found in Monroe and Smith Counties. Matthew Whittle, son of George Whittle from TN, has settled in Tishomingo County.

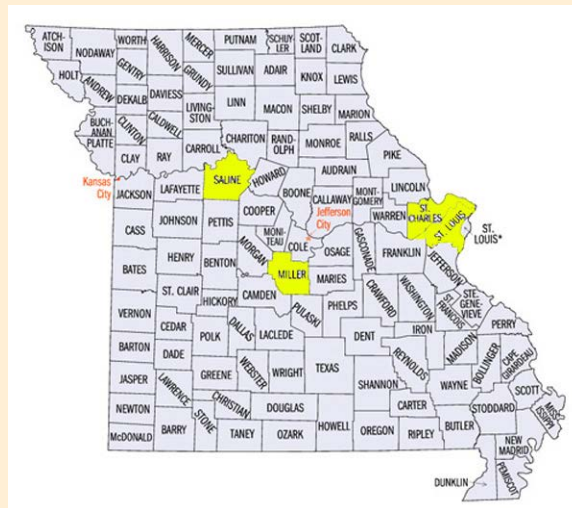
There are 11 Whittle families in various counties by 1870. Matthew and Pryor Lee, sons of George Whittle, are in Alcorn and Bolivar. Richard and his son James are in Smith and Kemper. Two NC Whittles, John D and Malia are in Calhoun and Kemper. Manly Whittle, age 57 and likely the first son of Elisha Whittle, is in Hinds.

MISSOURI - 24th State, 10 Aug 1821

Immediately following the Louisiana Purchase in 1803, St. Louis became the 1st gateway to the West via the Missouri River up from Kentucky. Reason: west KY, west TN, and AK were still

reserved to Indian until after 1823. It wasn't until about 1838 (Tippiēcānoe Indian Treaty) that safe passage via the Ohio & Indiana came about. Add to this the Illinois Mohawk Indian War of 1843. Earlier the Osage Indian quashed ideas for settling South Central and Southwest Missouri when they contributed to justifying the 1st U S National Cemetery at FT Scott, KS ca. 1810 by slaughtering some 600 soldiers. It wasn't until the 'Trail of Tear's ca. 1838 Southern Missouri opened to settlers the majority of whom were up from TN and AK. Bereft of great rivers and blunted by the Oklahoma Indian Territory, Southern Missouri's vast Ozark Mountain hill country remained sparsely settled until well after the Civil War.

Courtesy of Wayne Whittle



Courtesy of the US Census Bureau

The 1840 census is the first to list a Whittle in Missouri. Jno S. Whittle, with a young family, shows up in Saint Charles County near St. Louis. On the 1850 census Mary Whittle is listed as head of household, Jno S. is not on the census. Mary told the census taker that she was born in Kentucky. Whittle researchers have reported a John Whittle as one of the sons of George Whittle. George may very well have lived in Kentucky with his brother Robert before he settled in Sevier County, TN; however, many immigrants arrived in St. Louis beginning about 1838 when the "trail of tears" opened southwest MO for settlers.

By 1850 there are several Whittle families found in the State. Edmund Whittle, born in Kentucky shows up in Saline County with 6 children, all listed as born in KY. Whittle researchers say Edmund's ancestry is Matthew / John W. / John W. Jr. (or perhaps Vincent who died from injury in 1810). Wayne Whittle says, "My G-G-Grandfather, Edmund brought his family to Missouri in 1844, just in time for the Great Missouri River Flood and lost everything."

In Miller County we find a young Levi Whittle, born in TN. Researchers say that Levi's ancestry is Matthew / Joseph / Robert / Joseph C. Our chief MO researcher, Wayne Whittle says that "Joseph C. Whittle (Old Joe) moved to Miller County in 1842 and practically all Whittles in central Missouri are descendants of Old Joe. One of Joe's sons, Peter J., had 7 male children." There are other Whittles found in the St. Louis area on the 1850 census, all of whom say they were born in England or Ireland.

In 1860 we find the same families in Miller and Saline Counties. In this state, so filled with Civil War history, Whittles fought on both sides. James Edmund Whittle is listed on the roster of the 9th Regiment, Missouri State Militia Cavalry. Wayne Whittle says, "According to my grandfather, who was about 7 yrs old at the time, James Edmund went willingly at gun point of the Militia men who recruited him".

9th Regiment, Missouri State Militia Cavalry (Union)

Organized at large in Missouri February 12, 1862, to September 20, 1868. Attached to District of Rolla, Dept. of Missouri, to February, 1863. District of North Missouri, Dept. of Missouri, to July, 1865.

SERVICE.- Regiment concentrated at Columbia, Mo., May 15, 1862.

Ordered to Jefferson City, Mo. Assigned to duty in District of Rolla, Mo., till April, 1863.

Action near Memphis, Mo., July 11, 1862.

Brown Springs July 27.

Moore's Mills, near Fulton, July 28-29.

Kirksville August 6 (Detachment).

Pursuit of Poindexter and skirmishes at Grand River, Lee's Ford, Chariton River, Walnut Creek, Compton's Ferry, Switzler's Mills and Yellow Creek August 8-15.

Near Stockton August 8 and 11 (Detachments).

Muscle Shoals August 13.

Moved to Jefferson City and duty there and at Glasgow and Fayette till December.

Near Cambridge September 26 (Co. "E").

In Scotland and Boone Counties September 30 (Detachment).

Near Columbia October 2 (Cos. "B" and "C").

Sim's Cove, Cedar Creek, October 5 (Cos. "F" and "G").

Fayette October 7 (Detachment).

Near New Franklin October 7 (Detachment).

Ordered to Rolla, Mo., December 12, and duty there till April, 1863.

Ordered to North Missouri and duty on Hannibal & St. Jo Railroad from St. Joseph to Hannibal and on North Missouri Railroad from Macon to St. Charles protecting roads and operating against guerrillas till March, 1864.

Rocheport, Mo., June 1, 1868 (Cos. "A" and "B").

Black Fork Hills July 4 (Detachment).

Switzler's Mills July 12 (Detachment).

Macon February 12, 1864.

Chariton County April 11 (Detachment).

Operations against Anderson's, Quantrell's, Todd's, Stevens' and other bands of guerrillas in North Missouri till April, 1865.

Near Fayette July 1, 1864 (Detachment).

Platte City July 3. Clay County July 4.

Near Camden Point July 22.

Union Mills July 22.

Near Fayette August 3.

Huntsville August 7 (Detachment).

Operations against Price September-October.

Fayette September 24 (Detachment).

Near Centralia September 28.

Princess Shoals, Osage River, Cole County, October 5-6.

Booneville October 9.

Glasgow October 15.

Little Blue October 21.

Independence October 22.

Near Glasgow January 10, 1865 (Cos. "G" and "H").

Near Columbia February 12 (Co. "F").

Near Sturgeon February 27.
Skirmish in the Perche Hills May 5.
Duty in North Missouri till July.

Mustered out July 13, 1865. Regiment lost during service 2 Officers and 29 Enlisted men killed and mortally wounded and 1 Officer and 76 Enlisted men by disease. Total 108.

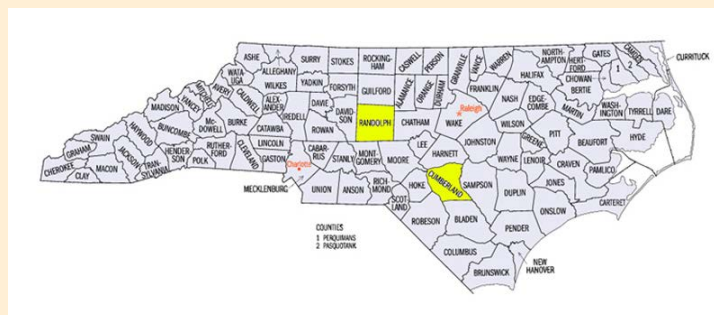
Levi Whittle is on the roster of the Osage County Regiment, Missouri Home Guard (Union). Robert Whittle served the Confederacy in the 6th Regiment, Missouri Cavalry. According to Wayne Whittle, this Robert Whittle is not the eldest son of Edmund. "My Robert Whittle was excused both for reasons of family and because he was operating a 'wood yard' supplying wood to fuel the steam river boats plying up and down the Missouri River, many of which were Union."

CONFEDERATE MISSOURI TROOPS 6th Regiment, Missouri Cavalry

6th Cavalry Regiment [also called Southwest Cavalry] was formed during the late spring of 1862. Many of its members were from the counties of Barry, Newton, McDonald, Jasper, and Lawrence. The unit skirmished in the Indian Territory and Missouri, then was assigned to General Shelby's Brigade, Trans-Mississippi Department. It went on to take part in Shelby's raid in Arkansas and Missouri, Marmaduke's Expedition into Missouri, and again saw action in Arkansas. The unit reported 30 casualties with Marmaduke and 19 at Helena. During the winter of 1863-1864 new men joined the command, and it was redesignated the 11th Missouri Cavalry. The field officers were Colonel John T. Coffee and G.W. Thompson, Lieutenant Colonel James C. Hooper, and Majors George W. Nichols and Moses W. Smith.

Our thanks to Peggy Smith Hake who has provided several biographies for Miller County Whittles. Please visit her web site at http://www.millercountymuseum.org/bios/bio_w.html. There is no evidence of any South Carolina Whittles migrating to Missouri during the 1800s and no evidence of any KY or TN Whittles in SC.

NORTH CAROLINA - 12th State, 21 Nov 1789



Courtesy of the US Census Bureau

This note from Jim Whittle was published on Rootsweb.com in 2001. " I believe the earliest records of William Whittle in Cumberland County date from about 1754, when Fayetteville was know as Cross Creek. He was mentioned in several court cases, serving on juries, etc. William's origins are unclear, but the 1750's was near the height of the so-called Scotch-Irish migration to NC. William's widow Mariah, in later court documents, assumed guardianship of her two children with a John Garner. The Garner's and James Whittle later show up in the Deep River area of Randolph County, NC."

William died in Cumberland County in 1761 and James in Randolph County in 1824. Both [wills](#) are on file at the North Carolina State Archives in Raleigh. Many researchers have attempted to find proof that William Whittle of NC is related to Matthew Whittle of VA. They both were born ca. 1720-1725. John Fushee Garner is said to have been the father of 11 children from his marriage to Nancy Whittle. After Nancy died, John moved to Blount County, TN and had 6 or 7 more children from a 2nd and/or 3rd marriage. Decendents of both John Garner and James Whittle should be proud to apply for membership in the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) based on [this pension application](#) found at the National Archives.

No correct spelling of Whittle is found on the 1790 census and no Soundex search turns up any likely candidates in Randolph County. The 1800 census lists Jesse Whittle in Cumberland County and James Whittle in Randolph. Only James Whittle is found in 1810 and there are no Whittles listed in Randolph County for 1820. On the 1830 census we find a John Whittle and a Nancy Whittle as heads of households.

The sons of James Whittle left Randolph County and moved to Pickens County, AL before 1850. They are found in Carroll County, MS by 1860. His grandsons would later become pioneers in Cowlitz County, Washington Territory. No evidence has been found that any of the NC Whittles migrated to South Carolina.

TENNESSEE - 16th State, 1 Jun 1796

Some researchers are of the opinion that early Tennessee Whittles, who arrived from Virginia, may have been involved with the formation of the State of Franklin.

The State of Franklin was set up in 1784 out of the westerly portion of the colonial state of North Carolina. Shortly after the War of Independence the original colonies were asked to pay for the war efforts and create a country with a sound financial policy. Since the taxing the population was difficult and cash was in short supply North Carolina ceded the western portion of the state to the federal coffers. Before the Congress could accept the offer North Carolina withdrew the offer. The citizens of the region decided that federal rule in the meantime was probably a good idea since North Carolina as a state had given this remote region little support in its fight with the Indians or protection from criminal refugees. They saw other benefits as an independent state in terms of taxation, representation and an understanding attitude toward local problems. Representatives of the North Carolina counties of Sullivan, Washington, Greene, and Davidson accepted the offer of cessation to federal territory. The state of Franklin existed for only four years to finally merge with the new state of Tennessee.

This region is centered geographically around the valleys created by the Holston and Clinch Rivers in the Cumberland and Appalachian mountains. This rugged territory was a refuge for the frontier type before and shortly after the War of Independence. It includes the towns of Knoxville, Bristol, and Greenville, Tennessee. Near Greenville is the birth place of Davy Crockett with Bristol on the Virginia border as one of the gateway cities into the western territory.

A convention of delegates (except for Davidson County that sent none) met on August 23, 1784 and after intense debate they declared these western counties independent of North Carolina on a unanimous vote. The statehood vote, however, was by no means unanimous with John Tipton leading a minority position.

Several names were offered for the new state. The name Frankland was proposed since it was translatable as "the Land of the Free," however, Franklin was decided upon perhaps for gaining the favor of Benjamin Franklin. John Sevier was elected Governor. The convention set the salary of the governor at two hundred pounds per annum, the supreme judges at one hundred and fifty pounds per annum. There were some interesting regulations created in the new constitution. One

set the prices for goods traded and another to set the standard for office holders. Office holders could not be any person "if he were immoral, a Sabbath breaker, a clergyman, a doctor or a lawyer."

Unfortunately Benjamin Franklin was not terribly supportive of his namesake state. When solicited by John Sevier for help Franklin wrote,

"I am sensible of the honor which your Excellency and your council do me. but being in Europe when your State was formed I am too little acquainted with the circumstances to be able to offer you anything just now that may be of importance, since everything material that regards your welfare will doubtless have occurred to yourselves. "

He concludes with a statesman like paragraph. I will endeavor to inform myself more perfectly of your affairs by inquiry and searching the records of Congress and if anything should occur to me that I think may be useful to you, you shall hear from me thereupon."

(Franklin's letter to Governor John Sevier, 1787)

North Carolina tried to break up the cession and statehood plans of the people of Franklin since the North Carolina had no real intention of releasing this territory. John Tipton, leader of the opposition within Franklin, had been responsible for carrying out court judgment orders to seize the property of the then Governor John Sevier, including nearly all his slaves. Sevier put together a small army of one hundred and fifty men and marched on John Tipton's estate to get back the property and perhaps to seize Tipton himself. After a brief siege and a consolidation of Col. George Maxwell's forces with Tipton's; Sevier's band was routed with the capture of several including two of Sevier's sons. Meanwhile Sevier went on a bold raiding campaign against Indian settlements in the western sections of now Tennessee. When he returns to Franklin he is captured by Tipton's men and taken to trial. Sevier makes a bold escape at his trial through a second story window onto a waiting horse.

North Carolina regains control of the region in 1788 by pardoning its leaders. Sevier eventually learns through all these travails, the manners and fallacies of government. He is elected as a Senator in North Carolina. In 1789 North Carolina ceded again the region in the west and Franklin became part of Eastern Tennessee in 1796. John Sevier becomes the first Governor of the new state of Tennessee.

Several of my relatives were here during all the governmental changes and show up in documents in all three bordering states due to the changing perimeters. Look for the names of Abraham Grubb, Stoffel(or Stophel), Varnell, and Weathers. They do not show up in the history books and tended to be the very quintessential of the frontiersman or mountain men, staying by the themselves and maintaining their independent lives against natural and unnatural adversity.

Courtesy of Cheryl Grubb Christenson, member of the DAR, Seattle Genealogical Society and Washington State Pioneers Association

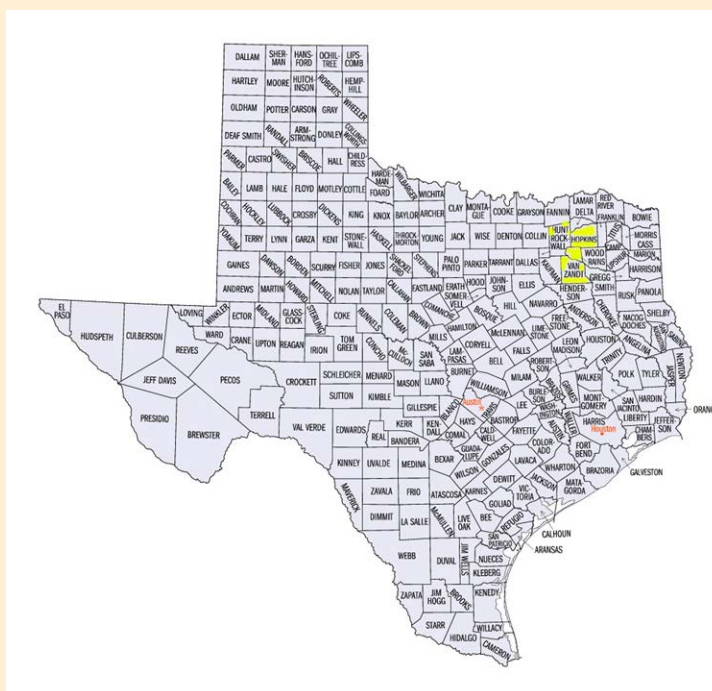


Courtesy of the US Census Bureau

Considerable mystery surrounds the origins of Whittle in Eastern Tennessee. Most of it stems from lack of evidence as to the father of George, John and Levi Whittle. Most researchers believe him to be Joseph Whittle, son of Matthew Whittle, from Virginia. Unfortunately no evidence of a Joseph Whittle in Tennessee history has been found, including searching the people involved in the State of Franklin. The preeminent Whittle researcher, W.O. Whittle, spent 40 years trying to find his trail, without success, and without knowing apparently that Joseph was likely his great grandfather, not John Warren Whittle in Kentucky. We are indebted to [Charles E. Whittle, Jr.](#), who published this letter 3 Mar 1973, based on his own research.

Proof is abundant that George, John and Levi Whittle were brothers and that they were born in Virginia. There is also some evidence that Robert Whittle, first in Tennessee and later in Kentucky, was also a brother. Ninion Whittle, found on the 1810 census in Rutherford County, is a son of John Warren Whittle, brother of Joseph. Based on the 1785 Amherst County, VA tax list, Joseph had 9 children. It is possible that they were scattered between Tennessee and South Carolina, but no proof to date.

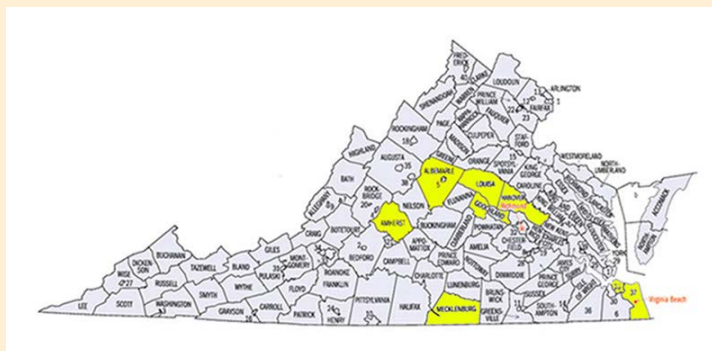
TEXAS - 28th State, 29 Dec 1845



Courtesy of the US Census Bureau

It was common throughout the Southeastern United States to hear the words, "Gone to Texas" or "GTT" for short. This letter, from the W.O. Whittle files, pretty much sums it up for us.

VIRGINIA - 10th State, 25 Jun 1788



Courtesy of the US Census Bureau

Most researchers agree that the Whittles who were early settlers in Kentucky, South Carolina and Tennessee all came from Virginia. The names Whittle, Whittel, Whitel and Whitle appear in Virginia records as early as 1637. To the best of my knowledge, no one has successfully connected any of these early Whittle immigrants to any particular line of English or Irish descent.

One of the first legal references to Whittle was in May 1719, p. 166, Richmond County, Virginia. Elizabeth Whittle vs. John Hightower. 794 lbs. of crop tobacco due on account. This case continued on into May 1720 at which time John Hightower was found guilty and required to pay damages.

Francis Whittle patented land in Louisa County on branches of Bunches Creek adjoining James Flanagan sometime prior to 1747. Based on the will of [Francis Whittle](#), it does not appear that he had any male children. His daughter, Serena, married James Flanagan and they lived at [Red Hill](#) in Louisa County. On 2 Dec 1747, Matthew Whittle was awarded a patent for 400 acres which lay on both sides of the South Fork of the James River, along the Hanover-Goochland County line. His land adjoined James Warren, Sr. He paid two pounds sterling. The North Fork of the James River is the present day Rivanna River. I suspect that Frances was an older brother of Matthew but there is no proof of that.

On the first US census of 1790, there are Whittles in Maryland, New Hampshire, New York, Rhode Island and South Carolina. The Virginia census of 1790 has been lost, but reconstructed tax records list several Whittle families. In Amherst County we find John and Joseph Whittle. Proof of these two sons of Matthew Whittle and Elizabeth Warren Whittle is based on this transfer of property which Matthew gifted them on 5 May 1777.

21 Jan 1780. Jno. Whittle & wife Sarah; Matthew Whittle & wife Elizabeth, AC, to Charles Wingfield, Sr., Albemarle, for 1000 pds, 400 ac pat. to Matt. Whittle under letters patent and Lees(?) under Buffalo Ridge; branch of Rockey Creek and Christian's path to Moses Higginbotham's mill. Conveyed by Matt. to his sons, Joseph & John Whittle. Jno. bought 200 ac of his bro., Joseph. Lines: Col. Chiswell, Jno. Warren, Peter Joiner, Turner Christian, Elijah Christian. Wit: Peter Joyner, Wm Wilday, Charles Warren, Rich. Harper.

John and Joseph Whittle are last seen paying Virginia taxes in 1785. Researchers have verified that John moved to Kentucky. Joseph's path has not been determined. Some believe he made his way to South Carolina, no Joseph Whittle is found anywhere else in 1790. Others believe he accompanied his brother to Kentucky and then moved into Tennessee, or at least his children did.

There is some possibility that Joseph was in SC for a brief time. There are four Whittles in the 1790 South Carolina census; Jo "Whittel", John Whittle, Jos Whittle and James "Whettel". The 1790 census only lists total female counts. Jo Whittel lives a few doors away from John and has 2 males under 16 and 3 females. Jos Whittle is on the previous page with 1 male over age 16, 1 male under 16 and 6 females. Jos Whittle has a family count close to our Virginia Joseph; however, "Jos" could be "Jas", a common abbreviation of James, or there may be two Joseph Whittles.

The 1800 South Carolina census lists only James and Joseph Whittle living next door to each other. No other misspelled Whittles seem likely. The 1800 census gives us some better information about the ages of family members. Joseph Whittle has 1 male under 10, 2 males under 16 and 1 male under 26. He is listed as over 45. There are 2 females under 10, 2 under 16 and his wife (or possible mother) is over 45. This seems to be the "Jo Whittel" from 1790. His birth year can now be guessed at ca.1755.

[Conway Whittle](#) was the second of nine children of James Whittle II and Mary McNeice of Thistleborough, near Glenavy, County Antrim, on the border of Loch Neagh near Belfast, Ireland. He settled in Norfolk, Virginia some time after the Peace of 1783, and was followed there and joined in business by his younger brother Fortescue about 1802. The relationship between Conway, Fortescue and the other Whittles in the Southern States is unknown. No real evidence has been found that their families knew anything about the

Whittles that were in VA as early as 1720. Only one clue has been found in their papers that suggests some possibility. In a letter sent to W.O. Whittle by Hattie Warren Gayle, dated 25 Jun 1941, she says, "My black mammie, who is still living, remembers hearing her father, a servant of the Whittles, talk about Mause Matthew Whittle, but I have not been able to trace Matthew Whittle nor Betty Warren. I want to go to the Lunenburg Court House and see if I can find anything there."

On the other hand, from the viewpoint of the other Whittles, several claimed a relationship with Conway and Fortescue's children, particularly Lewis Neale Whittle, son of Fortescue. See [Other Early Whittles with SC Roots](#). It is interesting to note that these reports are from Whittles that list their birthplaces as South Carolina, but can not be connected with the James Burris Whittle lines in SC. Unfortunately there is no evidence of any of the other 7 brothers and sisters of Conway and Fortescue in America, although one named Hance was reported to have drowned in Norfolk and several have said that a brother James was in the US for a short time, but returned to Ireland. Because John and Joseph Whittle left VA before 1790, most of the Whittles found in VA beginning with the 1810 census are the children of these two Irish immigrants. By 1850, when birthplaces first appear on the census, only one other Whittle is listed as born in any other Southern State.

Max Crowder has recently written a book about Fortescue and his home, Whittle's Mill, in Mecklenburg County, Virginia. If you have an interest in this family, visit whittlesmill.org

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The South Carolina Whittle Families

The Community of Mount Willing

Both South Carolina and Alabama

By Brenda Laney

Edgefield District, South Carolina

“Just before the Revolutionary War Jacob Smith built a tavern in the woods on the east side of Richland Creek. Soon afterwards a large number of men met at the tavern to see about opening some roads through the country. When they were through with the business of the meeting and all had agreed upon the location of the roads to be cut — the same, by the way, that cross there now — the Chairman or President of the meeting called out: "Let's Mount!" to which was replied: "Willing!" Mr. Smith, who was present, caught the words, and gave the place the name of Mount Willing, which name it has borne ever since.”
- From the History of Edgefield County by John A. Chapman, 1897.

Introduction

Borrowing a phrase from Margaret Mitchell, Benjamin West Crouch, often called the Father of Saluda County, wrote that when he first saw Mount Willing as a boy, it was “gone with the wind.”

Mt. Willing: Once a Social Center, now “Gone with the Wind”

When I was a boy long years ago and heard people speak of “Mt. Willing,” I had the idea it was a town of some importance located somewhere unknown to me.

What was my surprise when about eight years of age on a trip to Batesburg with my father we came to a cross road near where stood an old store building on one side of the road, an old-fashioned gin house on the other and a short distance away a large two-story ante-bellum dwelling in a beautiful grove and was told, “Here is Mt. Willing.”

In later years I was to learn that Mt. Willing existed from pre-Revolutionary days and that here for a long time preceding the War Between the States was the social center for all the surrounding community. (SIH, 66)

As B. W. Crouch says, this important population center of the late eighteenth and early nineteenth century is gone. Its importance and influence are gone. It is now a handsome, bucolic area between the town of Saluda, South Carolina, and the Saluda River, which is the boundary line separating Saluda County from Newberry County. Today, one can drive six miles east from the center of Saluda to that very intersection where once stood the store, the cotton gin, and the once impressive “large two-story ante-bellum dwelling in a beautiful grove” named Mount Willing.

Mount Willing began as the tavern and the plantation home of Jacob Smith in the woods on the east side of Richland Creek, but the entire area around Smith's home grew in population and importance. Mount Willing became more than just the site around the house, the store, and later the gin. After the Revolution, it became a whole section of Ninety Six District and then of Edgefield District. It had schools, churches, and stores within its borders and a close-knit community of people. The voting lists, the church rolls, and the names on wills and deeds tell the story of a thriving community.

Mount Willing was in the path of hostile activity between Whigs and Tories during the Revolutionary War. American patriots and British loyalists lived here side by side. It was a major population center of

Edgefield District, one of the largest and influential districts in the Backcountry. Ten South Carolina governors have come from the single district and later county of Edgefield, including two from Mount Willing. Here you will also find James Butler Bonham, one of Saluda County's two heroes of the Alamo. The other, William Barret Travis, was born a short distance away on Little Mine Creek. John A. Chapman, whose book *History of Edgefield County* is the most important work ever written on Old Edgefield District, reports this about Mount Willing:

The history of Edgefield, says a friend, J. C. Edwards—who has given me great assistance in the preparation of this work, is grouped around four important centres, Mount Willing, Old Cambridge, or Ninety-Six, Edgefield Court House, and Hamburg. (HOE, 94)

The golden era of Mount Willing was that period between the Revolution and the War Between the States. By the late 1850s, the community of Mount Willing was in decline. A newspaper report in 1859 from an unidentified writer provided a colorful description:

A pleasant drive of three hours the other morning, MR. EDITOR, brought me and my friend, M. C. B., to Mt. Willing. This was a place of some importance many years ago; an active trade was carried on there, and this was the chief point for the business of Saluda; eight hundred votes were polled there, and the names of some of our first men are intimately associated with its history. Around it cluster some pleasing reminiscences of days gone by. It is now almost in ruins, and its only attraction is the battalion Muster which occurs there every Spring.¹

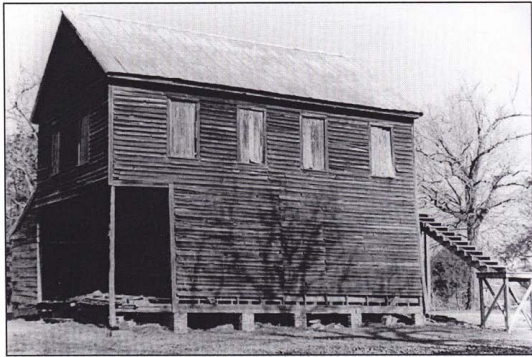
When Saluda County was formed out of Edgefield County in 1895, Emory, a part of the Mount Willing community, vied for the county seat. The area around Red Bank was ultimately chosen by the citizens of the county, however, and this choice seems to have been the final blow for Mount Willing as a community of influence.

The community of Mount Willing is centered

i.1. *Edgefield (SC) Advertiser*, 1 Jun 1859. M. C. B. is possibly Matthew Calbraith Butler.

Courtesy of "Where Our Paths Crossed" Bela Padgett Herlong, Carol Hardy Bryan and Charles Reneau Andrews, 2011.

Where Our Paths Crossed



15-4. This store at Dennys crossroads on Highway 194 is still standing today. According to Davenport Padgett, it is like the two-story store building which stood at Mount Willing for over 100 years and finally burned sometime between 1904, when Zonnie Dean clerked there, and 1914 when Davenport Padgett moved there with his father and brothers.

Carrie Herlong Boyd's sister Susan Herlong Bodie. Carrie Bodie married Sherard Wightman. When she died, the Boyds raised her daughter, Anna Wightman. Frank Boyd's nephew Guernie Boyd also lived with him and Carrie for a long time while Anna was there. In their old age, Guernie had a custom of calling Anna from California, and they would reminisce about their past in that old house.

Anna inherited the house and land from Carrie Herlong Boyd, and she and her husband, Frank Matthews, and their children and heirs owned the house until her grandson Edwin Matthews gave it to the Saluda County Historical Society.

When Anna Wightman Matthews died, her heirs gave Frank Boyd's 1851 ledger from the Mount Willing store to Davenport Padgett, who gave it to his daughter Bela Herlong. This ledger gives an accounting of all the men and women who owed money at Mount Willing store during the year 1851 when Frank Boyd was the clerk.

Mount Willing Store Ledger Accounts

The accompanying list contains all the names in the ledger. Jacob B. Smith's debt of \$530.08 was by far the greatest amount owed. Because Jacob B. Smith owned the Mount Willing Place and the Mount Willing store in 1851, it is logical that he would let his bill run up. Most of the customers did not let their bill go over \$30.00. The spelling used below is that in the ledger. Whether the spelling in the ledger was the way the people spelled their own names or whether the spelling is that of the clerk, W. Frank Boyd, is not known. The names are rearranged in alphabetical order.¹

15-4 Mount Willing Store Ledger Accounts Book, 1851. Property of Bela Herlong.

Mount Willing Tavern and Store



15-5. William Francis 'Frank' Boyd, originally from Dead Falls in Newberry County, came to Mount Willing to clerk in the Mount Willing store where he met and then married young Carrie Herlong.



15-6. Carrie Elizabeth Herlong Boyd, wife of Frank Boyd. They bought from her father land that had belonged to Jacob Smith and then to his daughter Sophia Smith Bonham.

Mount Willing Store Customers, 1851

T. Banks	Jack Bates	Col. R. B. Bauknight	James F. Boyd	M. M. Boyd
Marion Boyd	W. Frank Boyd	John Brown	Tilman Clark	William Clark
E. B. Coleman	Adkin Corley	B. Corley	Nathaniel Corley	Wesley Corley
T. A. Crooks	Bailey Crouch	John Crouch	Larken Crouch	Mark Crouch
Simoon Crouch	Joseph Calbreth	Allison Deloach	Col. Denny	Allen Dozier
James Dozier	William Dozier	S. W. Dozier	W. T. Dozier	Isaac Edwards
H. C. Ehrhage	William Ehrhage	Lizzie Foy	A. T. Haltsiwanger	S. T. Y. Henderson
George Hendy	Mrs. Cristina Huilet	Joseph Hill	Dewy (?) Hurlong	H. C. Hurlong
James Hurlong	V. A. Hurlong	Brown Jennings	John Jennings	Lott Jennings
Spencer Jennings	George Leopord	G. F. Long	George Long	Micajah Mathis
Daniel McGee	John T. Mickler	J. B. Miller	Adam Minick	David Minick
Marshall Minick	Mrs. M. Mitchell	Allen Mobley	Alsey Mobley	John T. Mobley
Lewis Mobley	Mrs. T. F. Mobley	David Neel	Nathan Noris	Arrington Padgett
David Padgett	J. E. Padgett	James Padgett	Jefferson Padgett	Josiah Padgett
Mahlon Padgett	Capt. M. Padgett	Samuel Padgett	Wade Padgett	William Padgett
Ludwell Price	S. D. Purefoy	Hugh Rogers	James Rogers	Samuel Rucker
E. C. Schumpert	J. C. Simkins	J. B. Smith	Luke Smith	Thomas Smith
Thomas Stillwell	Capt. Stone	Hancock Suddath	Edward Thomas	George P. Trotter
Henry Trotter	Jacob Trotter	C. B. Vaughan	George Wadkins	Joel F. Warren
James Vaughan	Malachia Wadkins	William Wadkins	Major [A. F.] West	Pinckney West
Alfred Whittle	Wesley Whittle	A. W. Youngblood		

SECESSION AT MOUNT WILLING

From the History of Edgefield County by John A. Chapman, 1897.

"When the State seceded, December 20th, 1860, the cannon of rejoicing that were fired at Hamburg were heard as far as Mount Willing, and even beyond. The cannon fired at Charleston, during the bombardment of that city by the Federals, were heard very nearly as far as Ninety-Six; but they were of much larger calibre than those at Hamburg. A few days after the passage of the Ordinance of Secession, the lower battalion of the Tenth Regiment was assembled at Mount Willing and a company of volunteers was formed to go into service. David Denny, the same man who commanded a company during the Seminole war, was elected captain.

This day will always be remembered in the history of that battalion. A beautiful flag, attached to a rope stretched from the top of the storehouse to the limb of a large oak, was waving in the air. The ladies, carried away by the enthusiasm of the time, waved their handkerchiefs and cheered their friends and relatives as they volunteered; while the band kept up a continual strain of music; and the militia officers paraded and swore at a fearful rate, as fully as terribly as ever our army did in Flanders. Aunt Fannie Smith, a free colored woman, who sold ginger-cakes and beer at musters, did a great business that day.

Thomas L. Smith was the Colonel of the Tenth Regiment of militia. When a hundred men had enlisted and enrolled themselves, Miss Lizzie Dozier, who, after the close of the war, married Captain Charlton, presented them their flag. J. C. McElroy received it and assured the ladies that he would carry it from the Potomac to the Rio Grande, if necessary. He did his best during the war. He carried it beyond the Potomac, and his heroic dust now lies beneath the soil, or mingled with it, of one of the famous battle fields of Maryland. Several other companies were formed and went to the front. The names, as far as it is possible to procure them, of all, both officers and men, who went from the county, with the casualties, will be given before I close. "



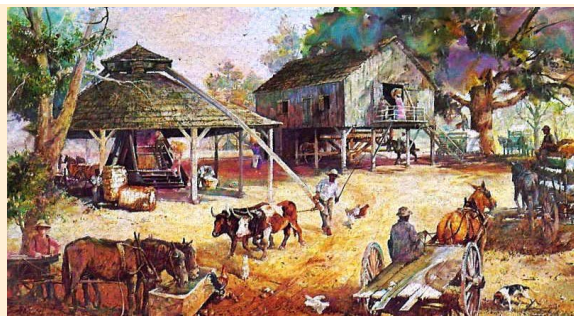
Courtesy of Brenda Laney, 4 March 2012.

Although this picture may not be in front of the Mount Willing store, it tells the story very well. This is Nancy Ann Berry, daughter of Claiborne Berry and Lydia McCarty with Robert Tucker Corley, son of Burdette Corley and Elizabeth Jones. Our thanks to Brenda Laney who is a Corley, Matthews and a Whittle through William Garret Mathews / Richard Furman Matthews / Mary Haseltine Matthews / William Furman Whittle / Frances Ruth Whittle. Brenda's parents were Frances Ruth Whittle and Thomas Eugene Strickland.

Lowndes County, Alabama

"Seems like when he was heading out back ova' heah 'round the first of March, he found about ten wagonloads of folks wandering 'round in circles as he said, trying to find the right trail to Alabama. They was a buncha farmers from ova' close to y'all. A place called Mt. Willing, somewhere close to the Saluda River. Seems they didn't have no leader a'tall. They were trying to get ova' to the land they'd bought from the Alabama Company of South Ca'lina. When Theo Y. told them he'd made the trip there and back and knew where their land was, they offered to pay him ten dollars a wagon to take charge and lead 'em ova' heah. Well, Theo Y. had 'em settled ova' on the other side'n the river 'fore May in 1820. They named their new settlement 'Mt. Willing' after their old village in South Ca'lina. We sho' was a bunch a' happy folks when he came a' ridin' back in the yard on May 1st."

"Oh, I forgot to mention, I had a man come up from Mobile to set up one a' them cotton gins for me. It takes four Negroes and two oxen to operate it, but with what it was costing me to drive that bulk cotton twenty-five miles to get it ginned, I figgered it paid for itself the first year."



"Now, all we gotta do is pick it, gin it, float it down to tha' mouth a' tha' creek and load it on one a' them big paddle wheel steamboats headed for Mobile. They's a boat going up the river one'st a week now and headed back to mobile one'st a week. Theo, I ain't never seen such a big boat in all a' my born days. Last year, in September 1821, I got a hankering to ride that thing, so I rode down to Mobile with a load a' my cotton. They put me in a fancy room and fed me like a king all the way down there and back.

Talking 'bout that trip reminds me, on the way back up the river, we stopped at a place called Ft. Claiborne to pick up some folks headed upriver. I met one of 'em, called hisself Dan Sullivan. He had a young wife with 'im. She looked to be 'round seventeen or eighteen, at least ten years younger than him. Said they just got married. His wife was Jennie Griffin 'fore they got married there in Ft. Claiborne. The subject got 'round to South Ca'lina. Said he was from up 'round Abbeville. Said he was born and raised along Cuffeetown Creek. He told me he and his brother, James, came ova' here in 1815, but his brother died from the fever 'bout a year ago. When I told him I had kinfolk ova' 'round Edgefield, he said 'Wouldn't be a man named Theophilus, would it?' Well, when I heard that, I liked a' dropped my teeth. He proceeded to tell me 'bout y'all's cheese and cracker dinner at the blacksmith's place back in 1815. He said if I eva' wrote to you, to tell you 'bout our meeting. He and Jennie bought two hundred forty acres ova' 'round that new settlement called Mt. Willing."

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Miscellaneous Documents

Will of Francis Whittle, wife Sarah (believed to be Coles) and 2 daughters, Serena and Mary.

Courtesy Calvin M. McClung Collection, Knox County Public Library, Knoxville, TN.

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN, I, Francis Whittle of Louisa County being in a very low state of health but in my perfect senses, make and ordain this my last will and Testament:

ITEM: My will and desire is that my beloved wife Sarah Whittall shall have the place I now live on and a half the land as is in the said Tract during her natural life. After her decease, then to my daughter Mary Whittall and the heirs of her body lawfully begotten and in case she should die without heir then the said land to be equally divided between James Flannagan two sons, Ambrose and Whittall. ITEM: I give the other half of the said tract of land to Ambrose Flannagan and his brother Whittall Flannagan, to be equally divided between them and in case either of them should die without heir, then the land to fall to the survivor, as also is the land I gave my daughter, Mary, if she should die without heir lawfully begotten. ITEM: I give to Ambrose Flannagan one cow and calf. ITEM: I give to my daughter Mary, two cows and calf and two sows and four barrows and one Iron Pot. ITEM: I give Margaret Sanders one cow and calf provided she live with my wife till Christmas next, and in case she does not live with her till then, the said cow and calf to return to my wife Sarah. ITEM: I give Elizabeth Sanders one cow and calf provided she lives with my wife until she arrives the lawful age, and if she does not live with her till she should arrive to lawful age then the said cow and calf to return to my wife Sarah. ITEM: I give John Sanders one small Iron Pot. ITEM: I give all the rest of my Estate to my wife Sarah Whittall during her natural life and then to be equally divided between Ginner Flanagan and my daughter Mary Whittall all which is to be settled and delivered to my wife whom I appoint whole and sole executrix of this my last will and Testament.

Signed & Sealed this 1st } his
year February 1750 } Francis X Whittall (Seal)
mark

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Francis Whittall's Will, Page #2.

Witnesses--Wm. Hudson
William Wood
Edward Lane

AT A COURT held for LOUISA county on Tuesday the 22nd-----1751.
This Will was this day proved in open Court by the Oaths of Wm. Hudson and Edward Lane Witnesses thereto, and by the court, admitted -- -- and -- -- is Recorded.

Teste Thos. Perkins -- -- --

Recorded Will Book "1", pages 24-25.

A Copy:-
Teste:- *E. A. Kelley Jr* Clerk
Louisa Circuit Court,
Louisa County, Virginia.

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James Flanagan, Francis Whittle and Red Hill.

Courtesy History of the Construction of the Buildings at the University of Virginia, 1817-1828 by Frank Edgar Grizzard, Jr.



RED HILL

Located south of Route 22 on the west side of Route 15 near the waters of Hudson's and Bunch's Creeks, *Red Hill* has the distinction of having remained in the same family since the original 18th-century land grant. The house stands on a portion of the 400 acres of land which King George II granted to James Flanagan in 1747. James had received other land grants in the area, and he does not appear to have lived on this 400-acre tract. He married Serena Whittle, daughter of Frances and Sarah Whittle, and when he died in 1752, he left his estate to his wife for life. After Serena's death the property was divided among their three sons, Ambrose, James, and Whittle, each of whom received 133 1/3 acres of the 400-acre land grant.

Whittle and his wife, Judith Flanagan, evidently made their home and raised a large family at *Red Hill*, on the 133 1/3-acre portion of his inheritance. In 1823 Whittle deeded 100 acres of his home place to three of his daughters, Susanna, Ann ("Nancy") H., and Elizabeth Flanagan, and in 1829 he and Judith deeded the remainder of the 133 1/3 acres, including *Red Hill*, to Elizabeth and Ann.

In 1830 Elizabeth Flanagan married Ambrose F.

Bellamy, and in 1835 Ann married Benjamin W. Bellamy. Ann apparently died without issue, and Elizabeth eventually acquired sole possession of *Red Hill*. She resided there for many years, and in 1873, after her husband's death, she deeded the property to their daughter, Julia, who was to provide a home for her there in her old age. Julia had married Lewis Anderson Walker in 1859, and in 1911 she deeded the old house to their daughter, Ida Julia Walker, who had married Thomas Jefferson Barton in 1905. In 1964 Ida conveyed *Red Hill* to two of her children, Ruby Elizabeth Barton and Graham Lee Barton, who married Catherine ("Katie") May Wills. Ruby and Graham, along with their niece, Barbara Jean Barton Ward, daughter of Frederick Anderson and Mary Katherine Hoffman Barton, still own the old home today.

Red Hill is a well-preserved, story-and-a-half frame dwelling constructed over a partially raised brick basement. It has a gabled roof with three dormer windows, massive, free-standing, brick end chimneys, a small, four-columned front portico, and six-over-six windows on the first floor.

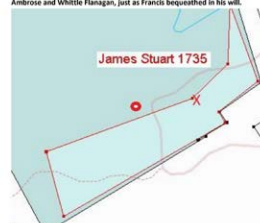
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Whittle Flanagan's Red Hill home in Louisa County, Virginia

This land grant map was prepared in DeedMapper (Direct Line Software) using original metes and bounds from land grants (not by me, but by others who have far more experience). James had two grants dated 20 August 1747, one for 250 acres and the other for 400 acres. The James Flanagan grant at the top is dated 1774 (116 acres), so this is probably James Winwright Flanagan (b. c. 1750).

The east-west highway is Louisa Road (State Hwy 22), and the north-south highway is the James Madison Hwy (State Hwy 15).

If we use Red Hill Trail as a guide (which we can confidently do, since the house Whittle built is still standing and is marked with a small red circle), the home called Red Hill was situated very close to the west of James Madison Highway. It sits on land that was granted to James Stuart in 1735, but by the time Edward Clark patented his land in 1748, the southern border in Clark's property is referred to as "Whittle's line." This means that at some point between 1735 and 1742, Francis Whittle purchased the land patented by James Stuart, and later it became the property of Francis's widow Sarah (her dower) and later of Ambrose and Whittle Flanagan, just as Francis bequeathed to his will.

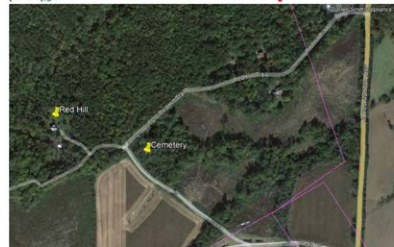


In 1780, Sarah sold her dower portion to her grandson Whittle. The property was the subject of a chancery cause a couple generations later, when Ambrose's grandchildren sued Whittle's grandchildren because Whittle sold a portion of the land to other, non-family parties. Whether intentional or not, the sale completely ignored the fact the Ambrose owned half of it. The court case specifically states that the land had belonged to Francis Whittle.

In addition, in 1825, Whittle, his wife Judith, and their son Reuben sell about 57 acres of the southern portion of the land to William Morris (outlined in red in the James Stuart plot). The most fascinating aspect about this deed is that one of the waypoints is defined as "a stone near a grave yard." The waypoint is marked with an X. Surely this must be a Flanagan/Whittle family cemetery. I expect the cemetery remained on Whittle Flanagan's land. Do any remnants of it remain? Who might be buried there?

Conclusion: Red Hill sits on land that was owned by Francis Whittle, not on land owned by James Flanagan.

Prepared by a descendant, Rebecca Thames-Simmons, June 2022



Google Earth screenshot with house and approximate location of cemetery.

Will of James Whittle of Cumberland and Randolph County, NC., James owned 236 acres in Randolph County, acquired from Marmaduke in 1794.

Will of James Whittle

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA)
 RANDOLPH COUNTY.) NOVEMBER TERM, 1824

I, James Whittle of the County and State aforesaid being weak in Body but in sound mind and memory to make and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as follows, first that all my just debts shall be paid I do order and give and dispose of the balance of my estate as follows to wit:

Item, I give my loving wife Nancy Whittle fifty acres of land whereon I now live including the dwelling house and all the out houses, with the orchard to be laid off so as not to injure the balance of the plantation more than necessary, also a Negro woman named Rodey and Negro Boy named Alex during her natural life time or widowhood and also two feather beds and furniture, One chest with drawers, also all the kitchen furniture with all the dresser, furniture of the dwelling house, the young mare and colt with farming tools sufficient for two hands, to work with in the farm, also the Smith tools and waggon to the use of the family on the plantation to her the same as to my sons, also her choice of three head of cows and calves, ten head of hogs that was about home and her choice of three ewes, one Flax Wheel and one Big Wheel one paid of cotton cards and one pair of wool cards, all the leather on hand to the use of the family on the plantation also a sufficient quantity of grain and provider for her self and stock for one year, also all the hoghead and barrels belong to the Cider House, also the house known by the name of Pompey, and also one hundred Dollars in cash to her, but nevertheless is she marries to be cut out of the whole and I will that the whole of the above mentioned property not otherwise disposed of be equally divided between my two sons John and James Whittle but should she remain single to have the disposal of all at her discretion to whom she pleases, so that it is within the limits of my family.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son William Whittle four shillings;

Item: I give and bequeath my lands to my two sons John and James Whittle, and share and share alike according to quality, but after the death or marriage of my wife Nancy my will is that my son John Whittle shall have the part including the buildings now occupied by myself with the orchard to them their heirs and assigns forever.

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Item, I give and bequeath to my son John Whittle one Negro Boy named Elijah and one other named John, also Old John and the above named Rodey after the death or marriage of my wife Nancy to him his heirs or assigns forever, also one sorrel mare, two cows and calves, two head of sheep his choice, and one plow, one axe, one mattock, and one hoe, one feather bed, one rifle gun, also one sow and pigs.

Item, I give and bequeath to my son James Whittle three negro boys known by name Silas, Wade and Frank, also one negro woman named Biney to him and his heirs and assigns forever, also one bay horse, one cow and calf, two head of sheep his choice, one rifle gun, one plow, one axe, one mattock, one hoe, one feather bed, also one sow and pigs.

Item, I give and bequeath to my four grand children, children of my daughter Nancy Brady the three daughters fifty cents each, to my grand sons James Bready I give three hundred dollars.

Item, I give and bequeath to my daughter Mariah Bready wife of Lewis Bready three hundred dollars.

Item, I give and bequeath to my daughter Belsey Bready wife of John Bready one negro woman named Seally and negro boy named Alex after the death or marriage of my wife Nancy, also a mulatto girl named Mary to her and her heirs or assigns forever.

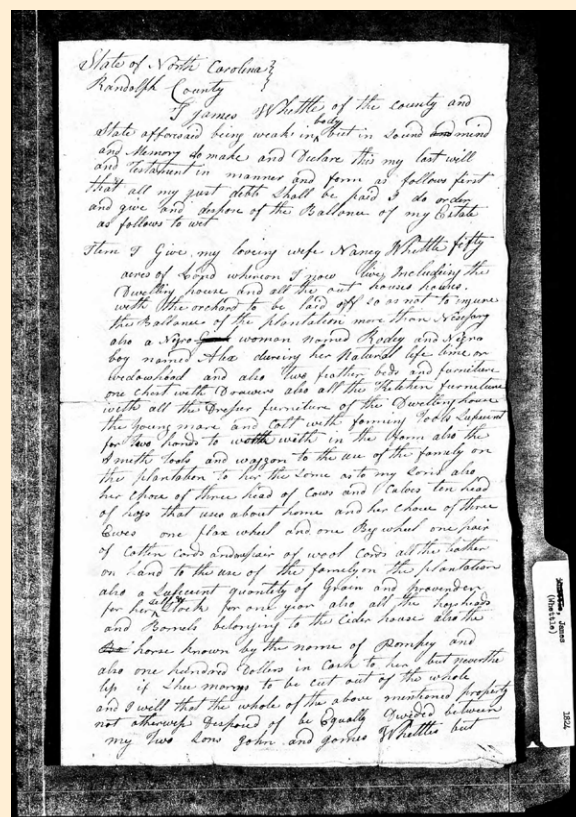
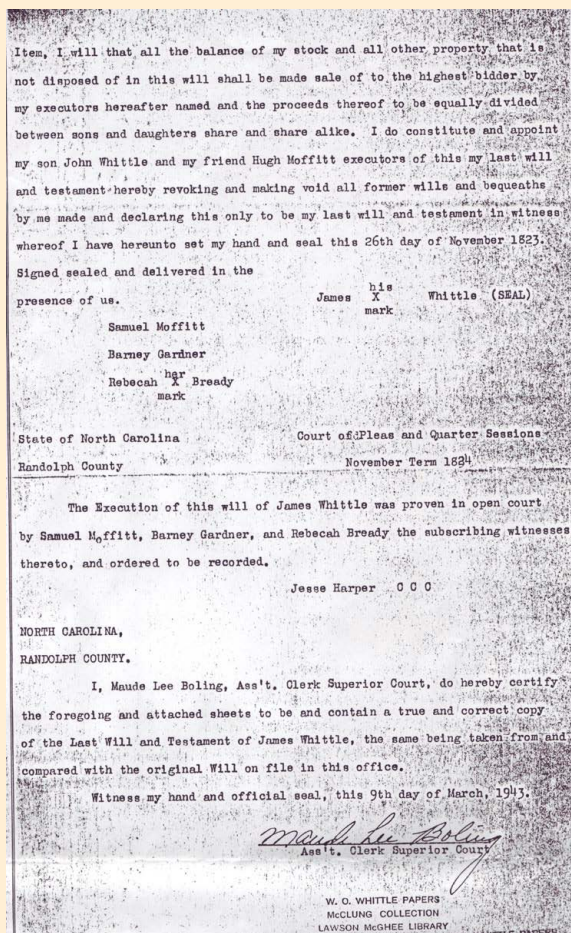
Item, I give to and bequeath to my daughter Demetha Gardner wife of John Gardner one negro boy named Nathan and one named Anderson to her and her heirs and assigns forever.

Item, I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Arbill wife of Emanuel Arbill one negro boy named Branson, and one negro girl named Tamey to her and her heirs and assigns forever, also a black filly of two years old and also after the death of my wife Nancy the sorrel mare.

Item, I will all the balance of my stock of hogs go to the use of the family on the plantation, also the crop on hand and what is growing also to the use of the family on the farm.

Item, I will that after the death of my wife Nancy my smith tools and wagon and gears to my son John Whittle.

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Should Mrs. Annan Legh to have the disposal of
all of her Execution to whom she pleases so that this
within the limits of my Family

Then I Give and Bequeath to my son William Whittle
five shillings

Then I Give and Bequeath my lands to my son John
John and James Whittle share and share alike
according to quality but after the death or marriage
of my wife Mary any well is that my son John
Whittle shall have the first yielding the husband
may be satisfied by my self with the will to them
then I Give and Bequeath to my son John Whittle one
Acre of land named Black and one other named John
also one John and the above named land after
the death or marriage of my wife Mary to have
his heirs or assigns forever Also one lot named
two lots and also two lots of land his share and
one lot one acre one half and one lot one
fourth and one lot one half also one lot one half
and one lot one half

Then I Give and Bequeath to my son James Whittle
three Acre of land known by some like wade
brook also one Acre of land named Piney
to have and his heirs and assigns forever After
my death one lot and half two lots of land
also one lot one half one acre one acre one
half one lot one half one acre one lot one half
and one lot one half

Then I Give and Bequeath to my four Grand Children
Children of my Daughter Mary namely the three
Daughters fifty cent each of my Grand son James
Whittle I Give three hundred Dollars

Then I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Annan
Bridget wife of James Bridget three hundred Dollars

Then I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Bridget
wife of John Bridget one Acre of land named
Black and one Acre of land named Black after the death
of marriage of my wife Mary also a lot named
John named Mary to have and his heirs and assigns
forever

Then I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Lovett
Governor wife of John Governor one Acre of land
named Nathan and one lot named Governor to have
and his heirs and assigns forever

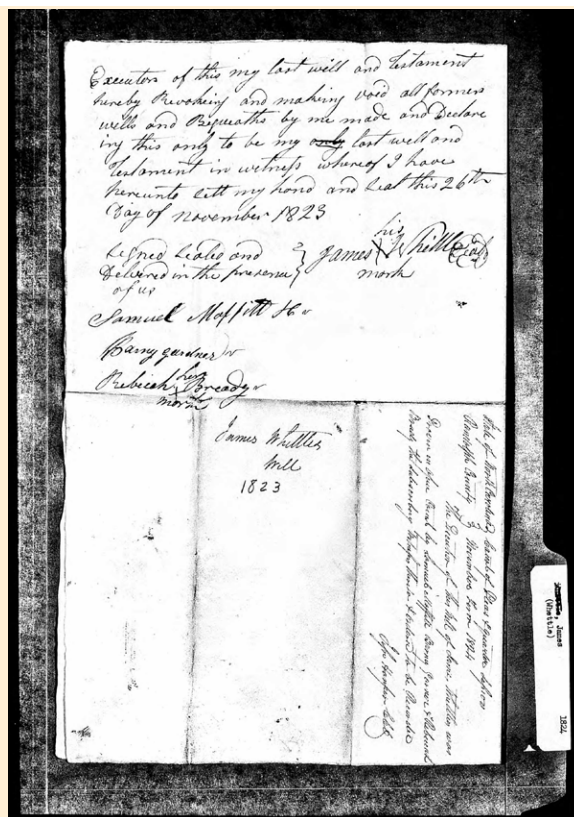
Then I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Marydell
wife of Emanuel Fehle one Acre of land
named Governor and one Acre of land named Mary
to have and his heirs and assigns forever Also a
lot named fully of two years old and also after the
death of my wife Mary the same name

Then I Give and Bequeath I will that all the Balance of
my stock of hogs go to the use of the family
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what is growing also to the use of the family
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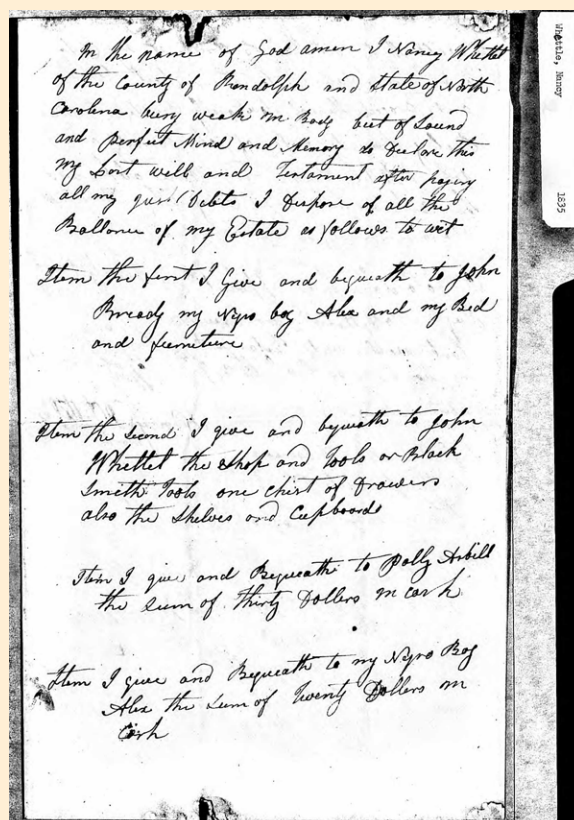
Then I will that after the death of my wife
Mary my estate shall be divided and
given to my son John Whittle

Then I will that all the Balance of my stock
and all other property that is not disposed of
in this will shall be made sale of to the
highest bidder by my Executors hereafter
named and the proceeds thereof to be equal
ly divided between sons and daughters
share and share alike

I Do Constitute and appoint my son John
Whittle and my friend Joseph Moffitt
trustees



Will of Nancy Whittle



I will that all the Balance of my Estate
to be made full of to the highest bid
and Proceeds thereof to be Equally Divided Between
Patsy Priddy wife of John Priddy and
John Whittle there and there alike with
the Cash on hand and Every other Article
whatsoever

I do ordain and appoint my trusty friend
Hugh Whittle and my Executor to this my
last will and Testament given under
my hand and seal this 9th day of November
1838

Witness my hand and seal
Nancy Whittle
March

Signed sealed & Delivered
in the presence of
Henry Whittle

State of North Carolina, County of Edgecombe, before me,
Notary Public, on this 3rd day of February 1839

The Division of this last will of my Whittle was duly
done in open court by Henry Whittle the subscribing Witness
therein & Delivered to the Executor Hugh Whittle

In the Name of God Amen, I Nancy Whittle of the County of
Randolph and State of North Carolina being sick in Body but of
sound and Perfect mind and memory do declare this my last will
and Testament after paying all my Just Debts, I Dispose of all the
Balance of my Estate as follows to wit

Item the first, I Give and bequeath to John Priddy my Negro Boy
He and my Wife and Executors

Item the second I Give and bequeath to John Whittle the Shop and
Tools in Blacksmiths Shop one third of Drapers also the Silver
and Goldware

Item I Give and bequeath to Patsy Whittle the sum of thirty Dollars
in Cash

Item I Give and bequeath to my Negro Boy the sum of twenty
Dollars in Cash

I Will that all the Balance of my Estate to be made full of to the highest
Bidders and the Proceeds thereof to be Equally Divided Between
Patsy Priddy wife of John Priddy and John Whittle there and
there alike with the Cash on hand and every other Article
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Letter from Charles E. Whittle, Jr to all Whittle kinfolk.

Courtesy of Charles E. Whittle, Jr., 3 Mar 1973, Danville, KY

Dennville, Kentucky
March 3rd, 1973

To my Brothers and Sisters, Our Children,
and Our Kinfolk:

Our ancestors Robert and Susannah Whittle lived in Greenger County, Tennessee south of the Cumberland Gap from about 1797 to 1802. They may have been there earlier and a little later, but sometime between 1802 and 1806 they moved through the Gap into Kentucky to stay except during the War of 1812 when Robert joined the Tennessee Militia for a brief time. In 1813 they were in Wayne County, Kentucky (now Russell County and on Lake Cumberland) with their six children, whose names and dates are shown on one of the enclosed charts. The tax, census, deed, and marriage records of Wayne, Pulaski, Russell, and Edmonson Counties in Kentucky give a clear and verifiable account of the names and dates of Robert and Susannah's children and of the offsprings of William Whittle in Russell County, and of John (Jack) Whittle in Edmonson County, Kentucky. The two daughters Sarah (Sally) and Nancy remained unmarried and resided in Russell Co. Levi is not recorded in Kentucky after 1826, although he is listed in a deed dated in 1843 as a son of Robert and Susannah. He must have moved west to Arkansas or Missouri. Joseph was in Edmonson County in 1825 and was there until 1842. He too must have moved west with his wife and seven children. Robert died in Russell Co. in 1831 and Susannah in 1835.

The other records of Whittles in Kentucky are in Lincoln County and Casey County. John W. Whittle and wife Sarah (Sally) came to Lincoln County, Kentucky in 1794 with their five children whose names and dates are on one of the enclosed charts. They lived on Hanging Fork Creek about 5 miles west of Stanford, Ky. not

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too far from John Warren and James Warren, who were already here in 1791. These Warrens were probably uncles or cousins of John W. Whittle. One of John W. Whittle's sons, Minian helped survey his father's land grant of 502 acres near Kenfro Valley in 1797, and Minian returned to Amherst Co., Va. in 1801 to marry Oray Kennedy. Afterwards Minian moved to Central Tennessee south and west of Nashville. All of John and Sarah Whittle's other children were married in Lincoln Co., Kentucky. John W. Whittle died in Casey Co., Ky. in 1817. A son Vincent Whittle died in Casey Co. in 1810, and John W. Whittle, Jr. was the ancestor of the Whittles in Casey County near Liberty and of the Fair families (descendants of William S. and Letitia Whittle Fair) in Casey County, Kentucky. It is clear from the Lincoln County, Kentucky records that John W. and Sarah Whittle came to Kentucky from Amherst Co., Virginia and that John W. Whittle was the son of Matthew and Elizabeth Warren Whittle.

According to Virginia records available to date, Matthew and Elizabeth Warren Whittle of Louisa Co., Amherst Co., and Hanover Co., Virginia had three children, Joseph, John W., and Nancy. Nancy married John Fisher Garner in 1770 and later moved to North Carolina where she died in 1792. In 1795 John F. Garner came to Sevier Co., Tennessee from Randolph Co. or Chatham Co., North Carolina according to the Whittle family records of Mr. W.O. Whittle (late of Knoxville, Tenn.). From the Amherst Co., Va. Census of 1783 Joseph Whittle had eight children and John Whittle four children in that year. John was still in Amherst Co. as late as 1787 but there is no record of Joseph after 1783. In the North Carolina

That having served out, and being discharged from his last mentioned engagement he returned to Randolph County (N.C.) He then found his dwelling house reduced to ashes, his property destroyed, his wife and children driven away by the Tories, and cast upon the charity of the world for protection and support. Finding no safety for him self, his family, and what little property remained to him, from the ruthless Tories of Randolph County, he moved with his wife and children into Blaketham County (N.C.) The Tories still waging a war of extermination against the whigs which he lived in Blaketham County, at Blaketham Courthouse on or about the middle of March 1782 to the best of his recollection, he again entered the service of the United States as a volunteer private in the Army of the United States in the company of mounted infantry or horse-men, Joseph Rofers Captain, and William Gouldston 1st Lieutenant, the other officers are not remembered. His service as a private soldier in virtue of the last mentioned engagement well, as far as he can remember, he detailed in his answer to the 5th Interrogatory hereunder by the department of War, and the length of the term of the same, as in his best recollection, given below:

This Declarant upon his said Oath declares and swears that by reason of old age and the consequent loss of memory he cannot swear positively as to the precise length of his service as a Soldier of the Revolutionary War, but according to the best of his recollection he served not less than the periods mentioned below and in the following grades. For three months I served as a private of infantry in the 6th (N.C.) in the years 1775 & 1776 under Captain Miles Kilebeck and other Officers named in the first part of this declaration. For three months I served as a private in a company of mounted infantry or horsemen in 1781 under Captain Tavernier Marsh (or Mash) and other Officers named in a former part of this Declaration. For three months I served as a private in a company of mounted infantry or horsemen in the years 1781 and 1782 under Captain Charles Gouldston and other Officers named in a former part of this Declaration. For three months I served as a private of mounted infantry or horsemen in the year 1782 under Captain Joseph Rofers and the Officers named with him in a former part of this Declaration in all Chiefly engaged for such service I claim distinction. To the questions put by the War Department this Declarant upon his said Oath answers as follows. To Question the 1st. That he was born on the 14th day of August 1749 (Old Style) in Rockledge County State of Virginia as from the best information he believes. To question the 2nd. That he has no record of his age. To question the 3rd. That when he entered the service of the United States in the Revolutionary War he lived in the Counties of Blaketham and Randolph in North Carolina, that since the war he has resided in the Counties of Blaketham and Wake North Carolina and in the Counties of Barren Monroe and Allen where he now lives in the State of Kentucky. To Question the 4th. That he entered the service as a Volunteer. To Question the 5th. That he does not remember having served with any of the regular troops of the United States, he recollects that he took other corps of dragoons used with the troops with which he served for a few hours only. Of North Carolina militia and volunteers he served with and under General Bullock.

Ramsey, Capt. James Thaddeus, Capt. Roger Griffith, Capt. Lillian and Capt. William Gouldston, Captain Miles Kilebeck, Tavernier Marsh (or Mash), Captain Charles Gouldston and Joseph Rofers. Since the war (Tories) James Bullock, Captain William Melons, Stephen Bled and James Whittle and many others.

The circumstances of his service are as follows. Shortly after he entered the service in 1775 at Bragg's old field in Blaketham County (N.C.) he was marched by Capt. Kilebeck and the other Officers with him before mentioned therein in the direction for boys' backs against the British and Tories under General McDonald and M. G. Wood, they were halted for the British and Tories under General McDonald and M. G. Wood, they were halted for some time, waiting an addition to their force, and at length reached Rock Creek and were detained several weeks at Rock Creek. He recollects that the day before he reached Rock Creek, the engagement between the American United States troops under Colonel Williams, Campbell, the engagement between the British troops under Mr. McDonald and M. G. Wood was said to have been fought. He recollects that the troops with which he served in this battle and took him fought. He recollects that the troops with which he served took place at Moss Creek many of the Tories on their retreat from the British which took place at Moss Creek having served the term for which he had engaged he was discharged about the first of June 1776 at Rock Creek, as in his best recollection.

This declarant further states, that shortly after he entered the service at Blaketham Courthouse under Captain Marsh (or Mash) in September 1781 he was marched by Captain Marsh and the Officers before mentioned as commanding with him against the Tories, the principal object being the protection of the whigs and their families and property from the depredations and pillage of the Tories, that the troops with which he served traversed the County through the Counties of Blaketham, Orange, Guilford, & Bladen, traversed the County through the Counties of Blaketham and Wake in pursuit of the Tories, that there was many engagements between Randolph and Wake in pursuit of the Tories, that there was many engagements between the detached parties but no general engagements. That the troops with which he served were marched back to Blaketham Courthouse and then discharged by Capt. Griffith in December 1781 as in his best recollection.

That a short time after the last mentioned discharge having entered the service again at Randolph Courthouse under Captain Charles Gouldston, Captain Gouldston and the other Officers with him commanding as before mentioned marched the troops under their command from there through the same section of County mentioned in the last state of service and against the same ruthless enemy the Tories, the nature of the service and the County being the same as the statement above, the troops were discharged at Randolph Courthouse in March 1782 as in his best recollection.

That finding the Tories still waging a war the most strenuous against the whigs, having within a few days after the last mentioned discharge from the service again entered the same at Blaketham Courthouse under Capt. Joseph Rofers and other Officers named with him in a former part of this Declaration, that there was many engagements between Randolph and Wake in pursuit of the Tories, that there was many engagements between the detached parties but no general engagements. That the troops with which he served were marched back to Blaketham Courthouse and then discharged by Capt. Griffith in December 1781 as in his best recollection.

house in June 1782, as in his best recollection. Deckerant was in no general battle while in the service, but was in many skirmishes with detached parties. He states the 6th he answers, that all the discharges from service mentioned herein with the exception of his discharge from the infantry militia service in 1776 at Cape Fear were ordered, that at least four copies of the discharge were given to him which were consumed or destroyed by the Tories when they burned his house in Randolph County as before mentioned.

He states the 7th That he is known to John Dymally, Robert F. Pulliam, Johnson, J. backwell, Robert H. Paris, Walter Thomas, Isaac D. and David Stinson and many others in his present neighborhood, who can testify as to his character for honesty and their belief of his services as a Soldier of the Revolution.

This Declaration further states that he has no documentary or other evidence to prove his said service nor does he know any person by whom he can establish the same. He hereby solemnly swears every claim in relation to a pension or annuity except the present and declares that his name is not on the Pension Roll of the agency of any state or territory.

Sworn to and Subscribed, this day and year aforesaid
in open Court - Benjamin Deckerant

State of Kentucky
County of Allen J. Set
Wardell Roark a Blackman residing in the County of Allen and State of Kentucky and Walter Thomas John and J. backwell Thomas, Robert H. Paris, Matthew Johnson, John Roark, and William Johnson residing in the same County and State, that we are well acquainted with Benjamin Deckerant who has Subscribed and sworn to the above Declaration and that we believe him to be 84 years of age; that he is reputed and believed in the neighborhood where he resides to have been a Soldier of the Revolution and that we can attest to the same.

Sworn to and Subscribed in open Court
this day and year aforesaid

Benjamin Deckerant
Wardell Roark
Walter Thomas
John and J. backwell
Thomas, Robert H. Paris, Matthew Johnson, John Roark, and William Johnson

And the said Court do hereby declare this to be true, after the investigation of the matter and after putting the interrogatories prescribed by the War Department that the above named applicant was a Revolutionary Soldier and served as he states. And the said Court further certify that it appears to them that Wardell Roark who signed the preceding Certificate is a Blackman residing in Allen County Kentucky and that Robert H. Paris, Johnson, J. backwell Thomas, Walter Thomas, Matthew Johnson, John Roark and William Johnson who have also signed the same are residents of the same County and state last aforesaid.

And the said Court do hereby declare this to be true, after the investigation of the matter and after putting the interrogatories prescribed by the War Department that the above named applicant and all the persons who have signed the preceding Certificate are residents of the same County and state last aforesaid and that their statement is well established to credit.

Signed
David Walker Clerk of the Court of Allen County, Kentucky do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original record in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Allen County, Kentucky, in the case of Benjamin Deckerant, a pensioner, who has been duly heard and that the same is true and correct.

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Richard Duncan testifying to Samuel Deen's Revolutionary War Service following the death of his widow, Milky Duncan Deen. Daniel Holland does not state the purpose of this affidavit.

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The State of South Carolina
Edgfield District

Personally appears before me
Richard Dunstan and deposes
and says, that by his family record
(written by his Father) he is ninety years of age in January last
that he was well acquainted with Samuel Deen before and after
the Revolutionary War - that said Samuel Deen did serve in
said war under the command of Captain Dooly - Captain Perry -
Captain Williams Patton and Captain Michael Watson for the
term of between two and three years - he does not remember the
precise time, but knows positively that said Deen served in
said war more than two years, that he drew a pension from
the State of fifty dollars per annum, until the eighth of September
A.D. 1840 when he died aged 77 years - that he was married soon
after the Revolutionary war to Miss Letitia Dunstan who survived
him, and drew a pension of thirty dollars per annum from the
State aforesaid during her lifetime, and after the death of her
husband - that she died on the 27th of March A.D. 1850 - that
she never married after the death of Samuel Deen - sworn to
this 18th of February 1853 -

Before me
Daniel Holland Magistrate
for Edgfield District

I, Thomas A. Bacon, Clerk of the
District Court, in and for the District and State aforesaid, do hereby
certify, that Daniel Holland, whose genuine signature appears at the
end of the foregoing, is a true and correct copy of the original record in the
office of the Clerk of the District Court, in the case of Richard Dunstan, a
pensioner, who has been duly heard and that the same is true and correct.

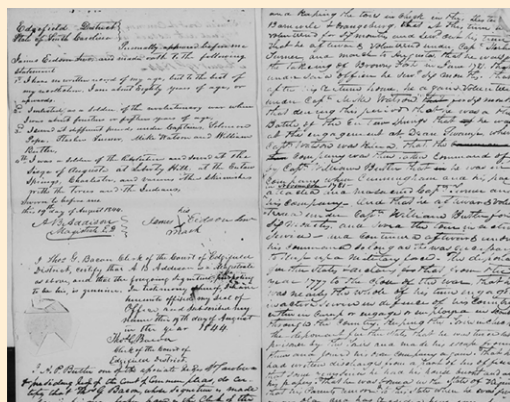
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James Eidson, Sr. still has to justify his \$20.00 per year pension as late as 1844 when he is over 80 years old.

Although Burris Whittle was in the same company of militia, I doubt he saw as much action as James Eidson.

"...and keeping the Tories in check in the...Barnwell and Orangeburg, that at this time he volunteered for six months and served out his time, that he afterwards volunteered under Capt Sterling Turner and marched to Augusta, that he was at the taking of Browns Fort in June 1781, that under said officer he served six months, that after his return home, he again volunteered under Capt Mike Watson, for six months, that during this period that he was at the Battle of Eutaw Springs, that he was at the engagement at Dean Swamp, when Capt Watson was killed, that the company was then taken command by Capt William Butler, that he was in company when Cunningham and his party, in November 1781, all died and massacred Capt Turner and his company, and that he afterwards volunteered under Capt William Butler for six months and served the tour in active service and continued afterwards under his command so long as it was a company to keep up a military force. The defendant further states and ... that from the year 1777 to the close of the war, that he was nearly the whole of his time engaged in active service in defense of his Country, either in camp or engaged or employed in scouting through the country, keeping the Tories in check, the defendant further states that was twice taken prisoner by the Tories and made his escape from them and joined his own company again. That he had written discharges from a part of his officers that some years since he had his house burnt and all his papers. That he was born in the State of Virginia, that his parents came over to this state when he was five years old, and has resided here ever since."

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Declarations in order to obtain the benefit
of the act of Congress of 7th June 1832
The State of South Carolina, in the Fifth
Circuit of the District of Columbia
of one John H. Whittle, Eight hundred thirty
four Personally appeared before the Court of
Common Pleas of said District, James E. Lee
Jr. of the State, a Justice of said District, a
Justice of said District, a Justice of said District,
from twenty three to twenty four years of age,
being first duly sworn and asked to bear
upon his oath on the following declaration
in order to obtain the benefit of the provisions
made by the act of Congress of 7th June 1832
that he entered the service of the United States
in the year 1777 as a volunteer under Capt. James Fort and
Company was attached to the 13th Georgia Regiment
under the command of Genl. Milledge, and was marched
under said command to the frontiers of Georgia
in an expedition against the Indians, that he
was marched back under said command and
discharged from service, after serving a term
of three months, that after his return he again
volunteered under Capt. John Watson and
was marched by said officer to the frontiers, and
saw two months. Some time after he volunteered
again under said Capt. Watson, was marched to
Spartanburg in the State of Georgia, in service
against the Indians, that he was
in active service in this expedition four months,
that some time of service he again volunteered
under the same officer, was marched to Charleston
and remained there one in the year, he was
of that and a few months, in active service,
that some short time after his return home, that
he again volunteered under the same officer,
that he was employed with said company in

and keeping the town in check in the State of
South Carolina, that at the time he
volunteered for six months, and after his return
that he again volunteered under Capt. John
Watson, and was marched to the frontiers, that he was
in the service of said officer in June 1781, that
after his return home, he again volunteered
under Capt. John Watson, that during this period
that he was a soldier, that he was a soldier
at the engagement at Ocran Swamp, where
Capt. Watson was killed, that the
company was then under command of
by Capt. William Butler, that he was in
said company when Cunningham and his party
were killed in 1781 -
that he was a volunteer under
his company, and that he at last
served under Capt. William Butler for
six months, and was then in active
service, and continued afterwards under
his command so long as it was necessary
to keep up a military force. The defendant
for the State declares that from the
year 1777 to the close of the war, that he
was nearly the whole of his time engaged
in active service in defence of his country,
either in camp or engaged or employed in
service to the country, keeping the Indians in
the Department for the State, that he was twice
prisoner by the Indians and made his escape from
them and joined his own company again, that he
had never discharged from a load of his of peace
that some resolution he had his horse, sword and
his papers, that he was born in the State of Georgia,
that his parents were born in the State where he was born
or any place, and has resided here ever since

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Joe Claude Whittle passed away unexpectedly at his home, 225 Ashley Lane, Leesville, SC 29070, on August 4, 2018 in Batesburg-Leesville, SC at the age of 72. Joe leaves a wife of 51 years, Susan Whittle, son, Jay Whittle, daughter-in-law, Beth Whittle and four beautiful granddaughters, Caitlin, Ashley, Jayme, and Brooklyn. In addition, he leaves a sister, Sally Whittle Stein, brother-in-law Louis Stein, sister-in-law, Carolyn DeLaFleur, brother-in-law Douglas Yeager and his wife Kay, and a "favorite" cousin, Nathan Shealy. There are many nephews who will remember their special "Uncle Joe."

As the passage below, "The Chosen", is entitled, Joe was the chosen one to help tell the story. He loved genealogy passionately and would challenge each one of us to continue to tell the story.

Joe built the SouthCarolinaWhittleFamilies website with the help of SO many of you for the content. Are you one of the next "chosen" to continue the work that Joe started?

THE CHOSEN

In each family there is one who seems called to find the ancestors.
To put flesh on their bones and make them live again,
to tell the family story,
and to feel that somehow they know and approve.

Doing genealogy is not a cold gathering of facts,
but, instead, breathing life into all who have gone before.

We are the story tellers of the tribe.
All tribes have one.
We have been called, as it were, by our genes.
We are the chosen.

Those who have gone before cry out to us, Tell our story!
So we do.
In finding them, we somehow find ourselves.

How many graves have I stood before now, and cried?
I have lost count.

How many times have I told the ancestors,
"You have a wonderful family; you would be proud of us."

How many times have I walked up to a grave,
and felt somehow there was love there for me?
I cannot say.

It goes beyond just documenting facts.
It goes to who I am, and why I do the things I do.

It goes to seeing a cemetery about to be lost forever to weeds and indifference,
and saying "I can't let this happen."
The bones here are the bones of my bone, and flesh of my flesh.
It goes to doing something about it.

It goes to pride in what our ancestors were able to accomplish.
How they contributed to what we are today.

It goes to respecting their hardships and losses,
their never giving in or giving up,
their resoluteness to go on, and build a life for their family.

It goes to deep pride that the fathers fought,
and some died to make and keep us, a nation.

It goes to a deep and immense understanding that they were doing it for us.
It is of equal pride and love that our mothers struggled to give us birth,
without them we would not exist, and so we love each one,
as far back as we can reach.

That we might be born who we are.
That we might remember them.
So we do.

With love and caring, we scribe each fact of their existence,
because we are they, and they are the sum of who we are.

And so, as a scribe called, I tell the story of my family.

It is up to that one called in the next generation to answer the call,
and take my place in the long line of family storytellers.

This is why I do my family genealogy,
and this is what calls young and old to step up and restore the memory,
or greet those whom we have never known before.

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First Name	Middle Name	Birth Year	Birth State	2nd Generation	3rd Generation	4th Generation	5th Generation	6th Generation
Agrippa		1831	SC	James Sr	Elijah			
Albert	H	1892	SC	James Sr	Willis	Willis Jr	Green B	
Albert	Y	1854	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison		
Alfred		1818	SC	James Sr	Willis			
Allen	Webster	1890	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	William F	
Allison	Harvey	1848	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson		
Allison	W	1856	SC	James Sr	John	John W		
Ambrose		1796	SC	Joseph				
Ambrose		1794	SC	John				
Ambrose	B	1853	AL	Joseph	Ambrose	Stancil		
Ambrose	C	1846	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark B		
Ambrose	Daniel	1828	GA	John	Burrell			
Ambrose	William	1837	GA	John	Ambrose			
Amos		1815	SC	James Sr	Willis			
Amos	M	1852	SC	James Sr	John	Hartwell		
Andrew	Jackson	1859	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	John B		
Andrew	Jackson	1852	AL	Joseph	Ambrose	Stancil		
Arren	Arn	1831	SC	James Sr	Joseph			
Arthur	Cromwell	1884	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	William F	Benjamin

Arthur	Malachi	1875	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark B	P.
Augustus	Freeman	1823	GA	John	Ambrose		
Augustus	Alonzo	1891	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Malachi	
Benjamin	Clint	1881	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark B	Benjamin P.
Benjamin	Perkins	1852	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark B	
Brooks		1902	FL	James Sr	William	Ellison	John Ellison
Buford	L. Yancy	1865	GA	John	Burrell	Chinchen	
Buford	Ferrell	1884	SC	James Sr	Ira	Levi David	
Burr	Mahlon	1880	SC	James Sr	Willis	Mahlon	
Burrell		1796	SC	John			
Burrell	Edward	1872	FL	John	Burrell	John N.	
Burton		1854	GA	Joseph	Ambrose	Chesley	
Butler		1852	GA	Joseph	Ambrose	Wesley	
Calvin	Brunson	1908	SC	James Sr	John	Hartwell	Hartwell Jr
Calvin	Louis	1902	CA	James Sr	John	Hartwell	Calvin M
Calvin	Monroe	1873	SC	James Sr	John	Hartwell	
Carl	Edgar	1910	SC	James Sr	Willis	Mahlon	Ravenel
Charles	Oscar	1897	SC	James Sr	John	John W	Floyd
Charles	Brown	1894	SC	James Sr	Ira	James Wesley	
Charles	Bert	1910	SC	James Sr	Ira	James Wesley	Charles B
Charley	H	1890	SC	James Sr	Willis	Willis Jr	Green B
Chesley		1824	SC	Joseph	Ambrose		
Chesley	Jr	1864	GA	Joseph	Ambrose	Chesley	
Cinchen	Gideon	1820	GA	John	Burrell		
Clarence	M	1885	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	Minick Q
Claude	C	1881	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison	William H
Claude	Wilson	1881	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	Minick Q
Clyde	Marvin	1913	SC	James Sr	Willis	Mahlon	Ravenel
Curtis	Columbus	1883	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	Minick Q
Curtis Jr.	Columbus	1906	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	Minick Q Curtis C
Daniel		1849	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	John B	
Daniel	S	1851	SC	James Sr	Willis	Willis Jr	
Daniel	William	1850	AL	John	Burrell	Ambrose D	
David	Ambrose	1861	FL	John	Ambrose	Quintillian	

David	Wilson	1865	AL	Joseph	Ambrose	Stancil	
Edward	M	1766	SC	?			
Edward	O	1865	SC	James Sr	Willis	Alfred	
Eldred		1835	SC	James Sr	Joseph		
Edwin	Freeman	1863	AL	John	Ambrose	Auguston	
Eldridge	Emsley	1846	AL	James Sr	William	Emsley	
Eldridge	Jay	1898	AL	James Sr	Joseph	Ely	Ruben
Elijah		1794	SC	James Sr			
Elisha		1805	SC	?			
Ellison	H	1820	SC	James Sr	William		
Elvanus		1836	SC	James Sr	Elijah		
Elly		1833	SC	James Sr	Joseph		
Emanuel		1864	GA	Joseph	Ambrose	Chesley	
Emanuel	M	1830	SC	James Sr	James Jr		
Emanuel	W	1835	SC	Joseph	Ambrose		
Emsley		1820	SC	James Sr	William		
Ernest	Wilson	1886	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	William F
Eugene	W	1878	GA	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	Allison H
Eugene	Stanmore	1892	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark Berry	Ambrose C Mark Berry
Floyd	Tracy	1909	SC	James Sr	John	John W	Floyd W
Floyd	Wesley	1860	SC	James Sr	John	John W	
Franklin	Augustus	1857	AL	John	Ambrose	Auguston	
Frances	Coke	1853	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wesley	
George		1800	SC	Joseph			
George	W	1852	AL	John	Burrell	Ambrose D	
George	W	1853	AL	Joseph	Ambrose	Stancil	
Green	Berry	1853	SC	James Sr	Willis	Willis Jr	
Green	Berry Jr.	1893	SC	James Sr	Willis	Willis Jr	Green B
Harold		1913	SC	James Sr	Ira	James Wesley	Charley B
Hartwell	Eugene	1823	SC	James Sr	John		
Hartwell	Eugene Jr.	1864	SC	James Sr	John	Hartwell	
Harvey	Moore	1877	AL	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	Allison H
Henry		1860	AL	James Sr	William	William Jr	
Henry	H	1896	AL	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	Allison H
Henry	King	1872	GA	John	James	James J.	
Henry	L	1867	SC	James Sr	John	Hartwell	

Henry	Virginia	1856	FL	John	Ambrose	John P	
Herbert	Auby	1882	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison	William H.
Herman	E	1895	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison	John E
Hezekiah	K	1841	SC	James Sr	Joseph		
Hillary	Quincy	1850	SC	James Sr	John	Hartwell	
Horace	F	1886	AL	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	Allison H
Horace	Manchester	1886	SC	James Sr	John	Meady	Luther G.
Hugh	Lawson	1921	GA	John	Ambrose	James G.	
Ira	Cromwell	1819	SC	James Sr			
Irby	Cecil	1895	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison	William H.
Jacob		1890	SC	James Sr	John	John W	Floyd
Jacob	M	1844	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	John B	
James		1809	SC	?			
James		1812	SC	John			
James		1867	AL	James Sr	William	William Jr.	
James	Albert	1907	SC	James Sr	John	John W	Floyd
James	B	1875	SC	James Sr	John	Hartwell	
James	B	1837	GA	John	Burrell		
James	Benjamin	1876	SC	James Sr	John/Elijah	William M	Levi B
James	C	1788	SC	Joseph			
James	Clayton	1851	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Reason	
James	Edwin	1877	SC	James Sr	Willis	Amos	Thomas
James	Ellison	1907	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison	Jesse R.
James	Gideon	1832	GA	John	Ambrose		
James	Hezekiah	1888	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark B	Benjamin P.
James	Jackson	1846	GA	John	James		
James	M Jr	1790	SC	James Sr			
James	Oscar	1878	SC	James Sr	John	Hartwell	Amos
James	P	1847	SC	James Sr	James Jr	William F.	
James	Pinckney	1852	SC	James Sr	John		
James	Rema	1878	FL	James Sr	James Jr	William F.	Milton A.
James	Thomas	1870	AL	James Sr	William	Emsley	Eldridge
James	Wesley	1846	SC	James Sr	Ira		
Jefferson	Davis	1861	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Emanuel	
Jesse	Clifton	1876	SC	James Sr	John	John W	Allison
Jesse	J	1856	AL	James Sr	William	Emsley	
Jesse	Mitchell	1912	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison	Jesse R.

Jesse	Robert	1857	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison		
Joel	Milledge	1844	SC	James Sr	Willis	Amos		
John		1801	SC	James Sr				
John	Berry	1822	SC	Joseph	Ambrose			
John	Ellison	1867	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison		
John	L	1871	SC	James Sr	John	Hartwell		
John	Franklin	1858	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	John B		
John	N	1823	GA	John	Burrell			
John	"Jack" Paul	1824	GA	John	Ambrose			
John	S	1836	GA	John	James			
John	W	1880	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wesley	Francis C.	
John	Wesley	1878	SC	James Sr	John	John W	Allison	
John	Wesley	1832	SC	James Sr	John			
John	Wesley	1846	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Stancil		
John	Wesley	1902	SC	James Sr	John	John W	Floyd	
Johnathan		1840	AL	James Sr	William	Emsley		
Joseph		1800	SC	James Sr				
Joseph	Edgar	1877	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	Minick Q	
Joseph	H	1874	SC	James Sr	Joseph	Hezekiah		
Joseph	Hazel	1866	AL	Joseph	Ambrose	Stancil		
Joseph	M	1850	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark B		
Joseph	N	1858	AL	James Sr	William	Emsley		
Lauriston	Keith	1921	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	Minick Q	Curtis C
Lawrence	Edward	1874	SC	James Sr	Ira	James Wesley		
Lee	Roy	1877	GA	John	Ambrose	James G.		
Levi	David	1854	SC	James Sr	Ira			
Levi	Burdette	1853	SC	James Sr	John	William Manchester		
Lewis	Simpson	1889	SC	James Sr	Ira	James Wesley		
Lewis	Hayward	1905	SC	James Sr	John	Hartwell	Hartwell Jr.	
Luther		1861	SC	James Sr	John	Meady		
Luther	Artimus	1881	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	William F	
Macajah		1788	SC	Joseph				
Mackalilly	Pope	1854	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark B		
Mablon	A "Scratch"	1832	SC	James Sr	Willis			

Mahlon	Dupre	1905	SC	James Sr	Willis	Mahlon	Ravenel	
Malachi	A	1832	SC	James Sr	James Jr			
Manchester	C	1859	SC	James Sr	John	William Manchester		
Mark	Berry	1820	SC	Joseph	Ambrose			
Mark	Berry	1868	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark Berry	Ambrose C	
Mark	Briggs	1910	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark Berry	Ambrose C	Mark Berry
Mark	Brown	1928	FL	James Sr	James Jr	Reason	James C	Reason A
Mark	Gary	1878	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark B	Benjamin P.	
Marshall	M	1845	SC	James Sr	Willis	Alfred		
Maston		1816	SC	James Sr				
McNath		1830	SC	James Sr	Elijah			
Meady	C	1869	SC	James Sr	John	Hartwell		
Meady	M	1838	SC	James Sr	John			
Millege	Malachi	1843	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark B		
Milton	Asberry	1848	SC	James Sr	James Jr	William Floyd		
Milton	W	1850	SC	James Sr	Joseph?			
Minick	Quincy	1852	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson		
Moses	C	1888	SC	James Sr	John	John W	Allison	
Newton	Carmichael	1853	AL	John	Burrell	Chinchen		
Norton	Fagg	1878	FL	John	Ambrose	Quintillian		
Olin		1894	SC	James Sr	Willis	Willis Jr	Green B	
Oratio	Burr	1822	SC	James Sr	Willis			
Otis	C	1890	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	Minink Q	
Otto	LaFayette	1875	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison	William H.	
Philamon		1875	AL	Joseph	Ambrose	Stancil	John W	
Preston	Lewis	1885	SC	James Sr	John	John W	Floyd	
Prevost	William	1897	SC	James Sr	Willis	Mahlon	Shelton Fox	
Quintillian	Durke	1829	GA	John	Ambrose			
Ravenel	McBeth	1872	SC	James Sr	Willis	Mahlon		
Ravenel	McBeth, Jr	1900	SC	James Sr	Willis	Mahlon	Ravenel	
Reason		1812	SC	James Sr	James Jr			
Reason	Alexander	1884	FL	James Sr	James Jr	Reason	James Clayton	

Reuben		1802	SC	James Sr				
Richard		1804	SC	?				
Robert	Clayton	1907	FL	James Sr	James Jr	Reason	James C	Reason A
Robert	Quintillian	1870	GA	John	Ambrose	James G.		
Roy	Woodrull	1894	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Malachi		
Reuben		1837	SC	James Sr	Maston			
Ruben	Ely	1861	AL	James Sr	Joseph	Ely		
Rufus		1854	SC	James Sr	John			
Samual	Madison	1841	GA	John	James			
Samual	Madison, Jr.	1887	AL	John	James	Samual M		
Seaborn		1841	SC	James Sr	John			
Seaborn		1807	SC	John				
Shelton	Fox	1876	SC	James Sr	Willis	Mahlon		
Stancil	L	1816	SC	Joseph	Ambrose			
Thomas		1843	SC	James Sr	Willis	Amos		
Thomas	Allison	1875	SC	James Sr	Willis	Amos	Thomas	
Thomas	Evers	1874	FL	John	Burrell	John N.		
Thomas	Jefferson	1900	AL	James Sr	Joseph	Ely	Ruben	
Tillman		1846	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	John B		
Travis	Scurry	1899	SC	James Sr	Willis	Mahlon	Ravenel	
Valentine	Jemarion	1845	SC	James Sr	Willis	Oratio		
Vernon	Ely	1897	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison	John Ellison	
Wade	Hampton	1846	SC	James Sr	Maston			
Walter		1868	SC	James Sr	Joseph	Eldred		
Walter		1905	FL	James Sr	William	Ellison	John Ellison	
Walter	Killian	1892	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Mark B	Benjamin P.	
Walter	Marcus	1868	AL	James Sr	William	Emsley	Eldridge	
Walter	T	1871	FL	John	Ambrose	Quintillian		
Walter	W	1879	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison		
Wesley		1825	SC	James Sr	James Jr			
Wesley		1832	SC	Joseph	Ambrose			
West	M	1849	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison		
Wilber	Eugene	1903	SC	James Sr	John	Hartwell	Hartwell Jr.	
Wiley		1852	GA	Joseph	Ambrose	Wesley		

William		1840	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	Stancil		
William		1842	SC	Joseph	Ambrose	John B		
William	Capers	1878	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wesley	Francis C.	
William	E	1872	FL	James Sr	James Jr	Reason	James Clayton	
William	Floyd	1824	SC	James Sr	James Jr			
William	Floyd	1857	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson		
William	Floyd Jr	1894	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wilson	William F	
William	Furman	1886	SC	James Sr	John/Elijah	William M	Levi B	
William	Green	1920	SC	James Sr	Willis	Willis Jr	Green Berry	Willis A
William	H	1905	CA	James Sr	John	Hartwell	Calvin M	
William	H H	1849	AL	James Sr	William	Emsley		
William	Holloway	1847	AL	James Sr	William	Ellison		
William	M	1785	SC	James Sr				
William	M	1875	SC	James Sr	John	Seaborn		
William	M	1882	SC	James Sr	James Jr	Wesley	Francis C.	
William	M Jr	1838	SC	James Sr	William			
William	Malachi	1841	SC	James Sr	Ira			
William	Manchester	1834	SC	James Sr	John			
Willie	A	1878	SC	James Sr	Willis	Willis Jr		
Willis		1788	SC	James Sr				
Willis Jr		1826	SC	James Sr	Willis			
Willis	A	1891	SC	James Sr	Willis	Willis Jr	Green B	
Wilson	"Bill"	1820	SC	James Sr	James Jr			
Zack	Wilkins	1868	GA	John	Ambrose	James G.		
Zeddie	L	1896	NC	James Sr	Willis	Alfred	Edward	
Zeddy	Asco	1881	SC	James Sr	Willis	Mahlon		

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